

# DOCK CROWDED

## Monday a Busy Day in the Police Court

Mary A. Derious, who attempted to commit suicide last week by jumping into the Pawtucket canal, and who would have been drowned but for the timely assistance of Patrolman Frank Fox, was in police court this morning and pleaded guilty of being a stubborn child. After the girl had been taken out of the canal she gave the name of Arphu, but it was afterwards learned that that was not her right name.

She was very penitent this morning and signified her willingness to return to her home if allowed to do so and said she had no idea of committing suicide, but being frightened at the approach of the police officer got nervous and did not know what she was doing.

The girl's mother informed the court that her first husband having been dead for some time she had married again. She said the girl would not mind her and would not work. She doesn't stop at home, having been away for the past seven or eight weeks.

The girl when questioned by the court promised to do better and said she now realized that there was no love like that of a mother and if her mother and step-father were willing she would return and try to do better. She then explained that it was in a fright that she threw herself into the canal.

The court placed her in the hands of the probation officer.

**LARCENY CHARGE.**  
Benjamin F. Donnelly was charged with the larceny of a watch valued at \$15 and a pair of shoes valued at \$15 the property of Patrick J. O'Brien. He had heretofore entered a plea of not guilty but this morning through his counsel, Joseph F. Loughran, changed his plea to that of guilty. He was fined \$20.

**CASES CONTINUED.**  
The case of Louis Pop charged with the larceny of a pistol was continued till tomorrow morning.

The case Joseph Corbin of Dracut charged with cruelty to a horse was continued till Saturday morning.

**OLD TIMERS.**  
There was quite a number of old timers in the dock this morning. John Trainor made his 34th appearance and after putting up a plea received a suspended sentence of four months in jail.

It was John J. Kelley's 26th appearance, but only the second within a year, therefore he escaped with a \$5 fine.

**SENT TO JAIL.**  
Mary A. Gallant and her husband, Daniel, were before the court on charges of drunkenness. It was Mary's third time within a year and she will spend the next four months in jail. Her husband escaped with a \$5 fine.

**WON HIS RELEASE.**  
Henry has been working for a farmer in North Acton of late and after he had pleaded guilty to the complaint charging him with drunkenness he said: "Your Honor, I wouldn't like to have a few words with you."

The court was willing and then Henry stated with "Well it isn't just like this I have been on the farm for a long time and yesterday I blew into town. I met an old man and we had a bottle. I got 1 had taken about five or six drinks I got to feel intoxicated, but you ought to see the old buck; he was laid out entirely. We intended starting to plough this morning, and now I can't go on today till this afternoon and I will make it had all around. Then you see I haven't got any money either and I've got to walk."

Knowlton's plea went and he was given a suspended sentence to the state farm and placed in the hands of the probation officer at Concord, Mass.

**PLEADED GUILTY.**  
Adolphus Tremblay and Georgianna Guilmette were arrested in a house in Bridge street Sunday morning shortly before five o'clock and this morning in court both pleaded guilty to adultery. The arrests were made by Sergt. Duncan and Patrolman Provencier.

**THE SUNDAY DRUNKS.**  
Louis Reault and Patrick Daly, Sunday drunks, were fined \$5 each.

Charles McGilligan informed the court that he would like a suspended sentence as he had work to go to in Wilton, N. H. The court granted his request and Charles got a suspended sentence to the state farm, but if he is not out of Lowell within 31 hours he will travel towards Bridgewater.

James P. Harkins was fined \$5.

It was Mary Grady's second offence, but instead of being fined \$5 she was sentenced to the state farm.

There were four first offenders who were fined \$2 each and 14 drunks were released.

Frank Desaphone was arrested for being drunk Saturday night and was released on bail, but in court this morning when his name was called it was found that he was among the missing. He was declared defaulted and a capias was issued for his arrest.

**BOTH WERE FINED.**  
George H. Lord and Henry Highland

# SUPERIOR COURT

Russell vs. Parker Case  
Still on

COURT EXPECTED TO  
CLOSE TODAY

But Another Session  
Will be Necessary

Judge King, Clerk Smith and the clerks of court officers, without whom there can be no session of the superior court, came in this morning on the tenth week of the session duly grateful for the supposed fact that by evening the session would be at an end and they would once more be assigned to the more neighboring environs of East Cambridge. But the best laid schemes of mice and court officials oft gang a-gle and when court opened the case of *Moise Russell vs. Walter Parker* which has been going along for a couple of days was still on. It was up to the defence today and Lawyer Dunbar, counsel for the defence whispered to Clerk Smith that the defence would take only an hour and a half. But the hour and a half saw the first witness still on the stand cross-examined by Lawyer Bent for the plaintiff, and the indications at noon were that the case would take all day. Two more small cases remained untried and then court will adjourn after the busiest session in local court history.

**TIM O'LEARY**  
FOUND MRS. NOTMAN'S WATCH SATURDAY.

Timothy O'Leary of Dummer street states that it was he who found the watch lost by Mrs. Marie Notman in Merrimack square, Saturday, and not Officer Bumps. The watch was afterward given to the officer who turned it over to the owner.

# FUNERALS

**CLARK**—The funeral of Martha Clark took place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her mother, 39 Fulton street and was very largely attended. The Rev. A. St. John, Chamber conducted services at the house. Miss Nettie Studley, and Miss M. Gordon sang very sweetly. "Some Time We'll Understand" and also "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." The bearers were Messrs. Herbert Hammer, Frank Eastman, Bertie Connors, Daniel Callahan, Harry McCormack, and William Connors.

The following young men acted as ushers: Frank Mack, Henry Dwyer, Joseph Kennedy, Frank Thompson, and Charles Nolan. There were very many beautiful floral offerings, among them being the following: A pillow inscribed "Our Baby" from the family of the deceased; a pillow of roses, pillow inscribed "At Rest," a friend; large floral clock, shopmates at Moore's mill, North Chelmsford; wreath inscribed "Only Sleeping," from Mrs. Forsythe and family; wreath, "Martha," Mr. and Mrs. David Burns; wreath, "Martha," Mrs. Beldell and daughter Nellie; wreath, "Sister," Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy; spray, Mrs. Lussier and family of No. Chelmsford; spray of 16 roses, Miss Eva Palmer; spray, Frank Mack; spray, Misses A. and K. Breen; spray, Mr. and Mrs. John White; spray, Gladys McCoughy; spray, Messrs. William Connors, Joseph Powers, and Bertie Connors; spray, Margaret and Edward Callahan; spray, Miss C. Wentworth and Mr. T. Kennedy; spray, Misses Katherine and Bessie Powers; Mary and Lillian Bloomfield; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gendron; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey; spray, a friend; spray, Edward Bushnell; spray of pink roses, Mrs. Bloomfield and family; Burial was in the Edson cemetery; C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

**HAWKINS**—Mrs. Mary E. Hulme Hawkins, wife of Alvah Hawkins, died this morning at St. John's hospital. Mrs. Hawkins was a well known resident of Collinsville. The remains were taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**CARL**—Mrs. Mathilda A. Carl, aged 70 years, died last night at her home, 201 Princeton street. She is survived by two brothers, George J. of Neponset and Martin H. of West Medford, and two sisters, Mrs. Geoffrey Harrington and Mrs. Della M. Nolia of this city. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Friends invited. J. A. Weinbeck, undertaker.

**BOWERS**—Mrs. Catherine Bowers died Saturday night at the home of her grand-daughter, Mrs. C. H. Whitney, 72 West Sixth street, aged 74 years. Deceased was the widow of Thomas Bowers, and was a resident of Dracut and Centralville for 60 years past. Mrs. Bowers was a member of St. Michael's church and formerly of the Immaculate Conception church. She is survived by two sons, Joseph M. and Edward M., the Centralville grocers, and the latter the treasurer of the Lowell Retail Grocers and Butchers Association, and president of the Lowell Reform Club corporation; four daughters, Mrs. Annie Bowers, Mrs. George H. Wilber and Miss Margaret Bowers, all of Lowell, and Mrs. Lyman Barnes of Canaan, Me., three grand-children and three great-grandchildren.

**CORNACK**—Mrs. Lydia B. Cornack, wife of Warren S. Cornack, died yesterday at her home, 841 Merrimack street, aged 20 years, 11 months. The body was sent to New York for burial by Undertaker Weinbeck.

**SCOTT**—Mrs. Marjorie Hoffman Scott, widow of James Scott, and an old resident of Lowell, died June 7, at the home of her son, William Scott, in Beverly, where she made her home for the last two years. Deceased was 80 years old.

**FUNERAL NOTICES**  
BOWERS—The funeral of Catherine Bowers will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the house, at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

WATKINSON—The funeral of Elizabeth Watkinson will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the house and at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be held at St. Michael's church. J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

**OSBECK**—The funeral of William J. Osbeck was held Sunday afternoon from the Swedish M. E. church at 2 o'clock and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives. Rev. M. Nilsson conducted the services. The singing was by the church choir. "Saved by Grace" was also rendered by a quartet composed of the Misses Emily and Gerda Laurin, Mr. Victor Hedlund and Mr. Charles Laurin. The flowers were many and beautiful, consisting of a pillow inscribed "Brother," from Mr. and Mrs. Emil Osbeck and sons; pillow inscribed "Our Brother," from Swedish M. E. church; spray of roses inscribed "William," from Miss Ida Larson; star, from Sunday school; wreath, inscribed "Eternal League," from E. L. society; sprays from young men, the employees of the Merrimack mills dressing room; Mr. B. Irvine and Miss Jessie Todd; Miss Marguerite Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hult; and Miss Elizabeth Nelson; wreath, from Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bjorkman. The employees of the Merrimack mills dressing room attended in a body.

The bearers were: Messrs. Victor

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BROTHER LAWRENCE, THE OLDEST MEMBER OF THE AUGUSTINIAN ORDER IN AMERICA, WHO DIED YESTERDAY.

# BRO. LAWRENCE

Lived to Be Nearly 100  
Years Old

**LAWRENCE**, June 8.—Brother Lawrence of St. Mary's Augustinian Priory, the oldest lay brother of any religious community in America, if not in the world, died yesterday afternoon, in his 100th year. He was 99 on March 25. When he celebrated his birthday he received many friends, being at that time a hard working religious enthusiast, defiant of all weather. He was a member of the Augustinian order 70 years, including the seven years of probation which preceded the taking of the final vows.

Brother Lawrence was born in Callan, County Kilkenny, Ireland, and growing up amid all the trials of the Irish poor, decided to devote his life to their betterment through work with the Augustinians. He took a deep interest in politics and joined in the emancipation movement of 1828 and 1829.

During the Irish famine of 1846, when thousands died of disease and hunger and many fled the country, Brother Lawrence stuck to his post, caring for the sick and burying the dead. The impressions of that year were the deepest of his memory.

In 1849, with a band of 20 lay brothers, he came to America and began the work of erecting the buildings of Villanova college, Pennsylvania. He was there until 1871, when he was transferred to the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Lawrence.

and Robert Hedlund, Axel Bratt and Charles Laurin.

Burial took place in the Edson cemetery where the quartet rendered "Beautiful Isle." The committal service was read by Pastor Nilsson. Arrangements were under the direction of the Horace Ela company, undertakers.

# YACHT VENONA

Was First Yacht Across  
the Finish Line

**HAMILTON**, Bermuda, June 8.—The yacht Venona, owned by E. J. Bliss of Boston, one of the contestants in the race from Marblehead, Mass., to this place, was the first boat to finish, having crossed the line at 3.31 yesterday afternoon. Her daily runs were 173, 108, 191 and 193 knots. She was sighted off the Head at 2.39 o'clock. As soon as her appearance was signalled the members of the clubs here boarded Commodore Trot's private tug Corona and started to meet her. Unfortunately the tug broke down and went ashore in Two Rock passage. After strenuous efforts she was floated in an hour, but by that time the Venona had crossed the finish line.

# 60 EXTRA MEN

Put to Work on Sewers  
Today

About 60 extra men were put to work on the sewers in Wiggsville and the Oaklands this morning and Supt. Moore said to The Sun, today, that on Wednesday he would have 500 men at work on the sewers, working six hours.

That number of men, he said, would be at work today but for the fact that two of his sewer foremen are tied up on small sewer jobs that he wants to get out of the way before he tackles the big job.

# FELIX VIGEANT

BACK IN HIS OLD POSITION AS  
STARTER

Felix H. Vigeant, the well known starter of the Boston & Northern railroad to work in Merrimack square this morning after an absence of eight months owing to an injury received while in the performance of his duty.

# ALBERT W. DAVID

## Nominated Once More for the Board of Health

This forenoon Mayor Farnham sent again to the board of aldermen the name of Albert W. David for the board of health.

A special meeting of the board of aldermen has been called for Wednesday evening and the appointment of Mr. David will come up for confirmation at that meeting.

The reappointment of Mr. David comes as somewhat of a surprise in view of the fact that Mayor Farnham told friends of Dr. Jones that he would send that doctor's name to the board of aldermen. He said positively that he would not send the name of David to the board again.

And Mr. David came out in an interview and said that he was all through and was willing to be counted out of the running. Mr. David also made a somewhat significant statement about what he had learned of the modus operandi of affairs at city hall and insinuated that later on such information as he had collected might be of very great interest to the citizens and taxpayers of the city.

It was suggested today that his interview as it appeared in print might have had something to do with his reappointment by the mayor.

**SIGNED BY MAYOR.**  
Mayor Farnham has signed the \$1000, joint order for repairs and improvements at the Dracut rifle range as suggested by the state authorities and the local militia.

**TEST OF PUMP.**  
The official test of the new Holly pump at the reservoir will be held tomorrow.

**STREET COMMITTEE.**  
The committee on streets, after making a tour of places mentioned in petitions before them for consideration, will meet this evening at 7.30. The business of the meeting will be of a routine nature.

**ALDERMEN TO MEET.**  
The common council will meet in regular session tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock and there will be a special meeting of the board of aldermen Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

# AT COMMUNION

Knights of Columbus at  
St. Peter's

Nearly 260 members of Lowell council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, received Holy communion in a body at St. Peter's church yesterday morning and made an excellent showing. The members assembled at the Fair hall in Gorham street and headed by Grand Knight John H. McNabb and the other officers, marched to St. Paul's chapel where seats were reserved in the centre aisle. Rev. Hugh M. McDermond was celebrant of the mass and communion was given by Rev. Michael Ronan and Rev. W. George Mullin, the latter the popular chaplain of the council. The choir made up of members of the council rendered Von La Hache's union mass, under the direction of Michael J. Johnson. At the offertory the choir sang "See the Paraclete Descending," and at the close of the service choir and congregation sang the hymn of praise. After the services the knights repaired to Lincoln hall where breakfast was served. After breakfast Grand Knight McNabb spoke briefly congratulating the members on their excellent showing. He was followed by Rev. Fr. Ronan and Rev. Fr. Mullin, who complimented the council on its splendid work and wished for greater success in the future. A literary and musical program was carried out.

# FINAL "EXAMS"

Held at St. Patrick's  
Male Academy

The final examinations of the year are being held today in St. Patrick's male academy. The graduates this year will receive their diplomas on Sunday, June 21. The graduation exercises will take place in the church and the pupils will receive their diplomas from the celebrant of the high mass on that day.

The pupils who fail to receive a rank high enough to qualify them to graduate from the academy will receive certificates that will allow them to enter the high school without taking the usual examination for admission.

The examinations for the pupils of the 5th grade will be held on June 15th and 20th.

The graduation exercises at the Notre Dame Academy on Atlas street, will be held on Tuesday, June 16th. There will be sixteen graduates from the Academy this year. In all the Notre Dame Academies of the country this year the graduating exercises will be held in their respective chapels. The pupils of Notre Dame Academy will receive their diplomas and medals from His Grace, Archbishop O'Donnell of Boston.

The sisters have not devoted as yet, what priest will officiate at the mass, or deliver the sermon.

The music for the mass at the graduation will be furnished by St. Cecilia's choir of the convent. The mass of the Angels will be sung. The mass of the Angels is an adaptation of the Solennes chant.

The pupils are rehearsing the hymns that they will sing in the procession one week from next Sunday. The chorus Chant procession at St. Patrick's church has always been a beautiful affair, but the procession this year will surpass those of previous years.

Tomorrow evening the last that appeared in "Waiting for the Veil" the recent production of the members of St. Patrick's Altar, will be tendered a banquet at the Waverley hotel by the Altar. Invitations for the affair are being sent out today.

# SUPERIOR COURT

Lowell Cases Were  
Called This Morning

The June sitting of the superior criminal court opened this morning in Cambridge and many Lowell cases were heard. Among the members of the local police department present at the sitting were Deputy Redmond Welch, Capt. William R. Kew and Patrolmen Thomas B. Riley, William Groux, Palmer and Bigelow.

# FISH SENT BACK

Was Not What the City  
Ordered

Purchasing Agent Mackenzie is a good judge of a good many things, fish included, and when a fellow way down in Gloucester thinks he can make cheap hake and small salmon and pass master as good haddock, and with one purchase of a ton a year, in a month a mistake is made.

John D. Williams, formerly of Lowell, but now a fish dealer in Gloucester, has been supplying the city from Chelmsford street with fish for the last three or four years and has never been out of a year, or in a month a mistake is made.

His are six month contracts and he has already covered three months of his last six months' contract. Not until a few weeks ago, however, was any very serious fault found with Mr. Williams' fish. Purchasing Agent Mackenzie had made inquiries as to the quality of the fish that was being shipped from Gloucester and the city farm superintendent Martin Courtney, said that a shipment previous to the date of Mr. Mackenzie's inquiry was a little off color.

The purchasing agent asked to be notified when the next shipment was received. Now the contract calls for

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# THE REPUBLICANS

## May Select New York Man for Vice President

CHICAGO, June 6.—The republican national committee began its deliberations today with a much smaller attendance of outsiders and a far less apparent interest in the proceedings than was manifested yesterday. The first contest to be taken up was that of the delegates at large from Florida and this was followed by the hearing of the evidence in the contests in the second and third Florida districts. National committeeman Combs of Florida headed the Taft faction and was assisted by Judge Joseph E. Lee, colored, of Jacksonville, the opening argument for the Taft people being made by M. MacFarlane of Tampa.

The speakers for the anti-Taft element were J. N. Stripling and J. H. Dickerson.

Next on the program were the five districts from Georgia. It was generally thought that contests would be held in six districts from this state but one of them failed to qualify and was dropped.

After Georgia the committee planned to take up the contests in the first, fifth, sixth and eleventh districts of Kentucky.

It was believed by the members of the committee that these three states would occupy the entire time of today's session.

It was said by a number of prominent politicians who were gathered around the committee room before the

work of the day commenced that sentiment on the vice-presidential question seemed to be settling over New York. It being generally considered that it would be wise for the party to take a man from that state. The two most prominently mentioned today in this connection were Secretary Cortelyou and Rep. James Sherman, the chairman of the congressional committee, both of whom are from New York.

At the opening of the hearing in the case of the Florida delegates-at-large Mr. Stripling filed a protest against Frank Hitchcock, Arthur F. Slatter and Charles F. Phelps, respectively manager and employees of the Taft headquarters similar to that presented to the committee yesterday. Mr. Stripling declared that he had no charge of lack of integrity against the three gentlemen but said that he did not believe that men who were acting as managers or employees of any one candidate could be in a proper frame of mind to judge contests in such states as had candidates of their own.

On motion of Mr. Stevens of Colorado the protest of Mr. Stripling was tabled, the committee deciding that the question of the qualifications of Messrs. Hitchcock, Slatter and Phelps had been decided yesterday.

The Taft delegates at large from Florida and the Taft delegates from the second district of Florida were seated today by the national committee.

## THE HIGH SCHOOL

Will Hold Graduation Exercises June 22

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE JUNE 19

Dates of Other Exercises Not Fixed

The High school graduation will take place at the Opera House Monday evening, June 22. There will be 163 graduates as against the banner class of two years ago which numbered 206. The program for the exercises has not as yet been prepared. Eleanor Murray will be the salutatorian.

The graduating exercises in the other schools will take place on or after closing day, Friday, June 19. The time for the exercises is set by the teachers. It is the desire on the part of the teachers, however, to hold the exercises on closing day or the next day, Saturday. Some of the exercises will be in the forenoon and some in the afternoon.

The question of tickets to the graduating exercises of the High school is a bit perplexing inasmuch as the demand for them is really too great.

The graduates are allowed four tickets each, the school committee men are allowed ten each and the superintendent of schools gets ten and that is pretty nearly a full house. The seating capacity of the Opera house is about 1200 and providing that all of the graduates, the school committeemen and the superintendent should use all of their tickets it would mean the occupation of 772 seats.

## McKINLEY STATUE FAST TIME MADE

Was Unveiled in Philadelphia Today

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—In the presence of a large crowd a life size statue in bronze of President McKinley erected on the south plaza of the city hall through private subscription of citizens of Philadelphia and vicinity was unveiled today and presented to the committee by the William McKinley Memorial Association. Following the unveiling dedication exercises were held in the Academy of Music at which James Beck who was assistant attorney general of the United States at the time of President McKinley's assassination was the orator. The statue was the work of Charles Lopez, sculptor, now deceased and Albert Ross, architect.

Prior to the unveiling a military parade was held in Broad street.

WADE ELLIS

HAS DRAFT OF REPUBLICAN PLATFORM READY

NORFOLK, Va., June 6.—Wade Ellis attorney general of Ohio who has been at Virginia Beach for several days preparing the first draft of the republican national platform will leave tonight for Washington and thence will go to Chicago. "The only work that has been done on the platform," said Mr. Ellis today, "has been the attempt to get together in concrete form some suggestions for the resolutions committee which might be made the basis for work to be done by that committee at that platform. There is no intention of preparing a platform in advance of the meeting of the committee."

## STRUCK BY CAR

Little Girl Was Instantly Killed

QUIDNICK, R. I., June 6.—Rosie Szyslo, six years of age, of Providence who was visiting her aunt, Zaida Olozewska in this village, was struck down by an electric car this morning and instantly killed after having been dragged for upwards of fifty feet. Her skull, arm and left leg were fractured and she received multiple bruises. The fatality has been reported to Coroner James Ray of Coventry and the officials of the Rhode Island company have also instituted an investigation. The car crew was not detained.

## GREAT FLOODS

HAVE CAUSED MUCH DAMAGE TO SHIPPING

BILBAO, June 6.—Floods in the Nervia river have caused much damage to shipping at this port. The steamers Ural and Antonio were carried from their moorings today and crashed into the two other boats. The four vessels were beached. Many small craft have been carried out to sea. No lives thus far are reported lost.

## LOW SALARIES

SCARE AWAY CANDIDATES FOR THE MINISTRY

NEW HAVEN, June 6.—A committee of the alumni association of the Yale divinity school has made a report to the school in which it states that the existing dearth of candidates for the ministry is due in part to the lower compensation in the work of the ministry as part of the materialism of the age and partly to a misconception as to the range of the ministers' work. The committee adds that the traditional methods of evangelism do not appeal to the ministry as compared with social and civic reforms.

## ARTHUR CONNORS

At Trials for the Olympic Team

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Clear hot weather and a fast track were the ideal conditions that favored the candidates for membership on the American Olympic team.

100 metres (100 yards). Olympic record 10 4-5 secs, held by Jarvis, America. Two heats: First three in each to qualify.

First heat—Won by J. A. Recker, University of Virginia; second, Robert Coghlan, Irish-American A. C., New York; third, J. D. Whitman, U. of P. Time, 10 4-5. P. M. Ramsdell, U. of Texas, failed to qualify.

Second heat—Won by Lawson Robertson, Irish-American A. C.; second, N. J. Cartmell, U. of P.; third, Sherman, Dartmouth. Time, 11 1-5 seconds.

110 metres hurdles (121 yards). Olympic record 15 2-5 seconds, held by Kranezeln, America (no trial heats). Won by L. V. Howe, Yale; second, D. R. Robbins, Yale; third, C. Christie, Penna. Time, 15 4-5 secs.

800 metres run—Won by W. W. Shepard, Irish-American A. C., New York; second, Joseph Bromfield, Jr., Irish-American A. C.; third, L. P. Jones, U. of P. Time, 1:54. Two seconds better than the Olympic record.

P. P. Sheehan, South Boston A. C., and E. B. Parsons, Yale, also ran. Throwing the javelin, Olympic record 175 feet 6 inches, held by Lemming, Sweden. Won by Platt Adams, N. Y. A. C., 131 feet 6 inches; second, Martin Sheridan, Irish-American A. C., New York, 120 feet 3 inches; third, W. C. Fielding, N. Y. A. C., 116 feet, 3 inches.

100 metres, final heat. Won by Lawson Robertson, Irish-American A. C.; second, J. A. Recker, U. of Virginia; third, N. J. Cartmell, U. of P. Time, 11 seconds. Recker in the final was set back one yard for making a false start.

## DORCHESTER CELEBRATES

BOSTON, June 6.—With fitting ceremonies Dorchester today celebrated the 25th anniversary of its settlement. The military parade and athletic features of former years were omitted, historical exercises forming the principal feature of the celebration.

## EIGHT INJURED

EXPLOSION IN A FACTORY AT INDIANAPOLIS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 6.—The Prest-to-Lite factory blew up today. Eight persons are known to be injured. This is the third time within a year that there has been an explosion at the plant. The new factory is wrecked and St. Vincent's hospital a building was wrecked. Windows were shattered in buildings several blocks away.

## SIX ARE DEAD

AS RESULT OF TORNADO IN NEBRASKA

GENEVA, Neb., June 6.—At least six dead, four fatally hurt and several others more or less seriously injured is the result of Friday's tornado which swept across Fillmore county and destroyed everything in its path.

## CURRENCY ASSOCIATION

NEW YORK, June 6.—A formal call for a meeting to be held at the New York clearing house next Tuesday when steps will be taken to form a national currency association was sent out by the leading national banks today.

## LOWELL CASES

Will be Heard in East Cambridge

Honors have come again, the third time this year, to the Dominican Nuns of St. Michael's school for the really excellent work of their pupils in penmanship. Heretofore the girls have taken the lead, but now Master Arthur Connors has the well merited distinction of being the first boy of the school to receive a diploma this year from the American School of Penmanship. Master Connors is but thirteen years of age so his parents and teachers have every reason to feel proud of his achievement. Master Arthur is being congratulated. He is the son of Mr. Peter Connors, of 243 Lakeview avenue.

## CHIEF WHITNEY

Issues Circular Relative to Portable Booths

The following circular letter relative to the use of portable booths has been issued by John H. Whitney, chief of the Massachusetts District Police:

Permission to use portable booths which have been approved by this department does not extend to their use in any theatre or public hall in a city or town in which permanent booths have been installed. Permission to use portable booths is only intended to cover the temporary exhibition, for one night, of moving pictures in places of assembly such as schools, churches, association halls, lodge rooms, etc., where, in the judgment of this department, it is not practicable to install permanent booths made in accordance with our specifications already published.

All permission for the use of portable booths are subject to the directions of the state inspector of factories and public buildings in whose district it is desired to use a portable booth.

Notice should be sent to the office of the district police at least one week before the date on which it is desired to use a portable booth, to enable the inspector to properly investigate the conditions under which the booth is to be used. The notice must also state the portion of the building in which the booth is to be located.

MONDAY.  
Dunlavy and Kerwin, adultery.  
Agnes Greenwood, appeal from sentence to Sherborn.

Joseph Bruce, appeal from sentence to Massachusetts reformatory.  
Mary E. Martin, appeal from sentence to Sherborn.

Lizzie Lannon, appeal from sentence of five months in jail.  
George Tappan, breaking and entering in a larceny.

Mary Whitely, appeal from sentence to Sherborn.  
Lizzie Guthrie, appeal from sentence to Sherborn for fornication.

TUESDAY.  
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# HON. BUTLER AMES

## Accused of Giving Out Forged Tickets to Florida Republican Convention

## Heated Debate at Session of National Committee in Chicago—Personalities Were Exchanged and at One Time it Looked As If There Would Be Trouble—Much Bitterness Shown in the Arguments

CHICAGO, June 6.—The national committee, decided the contests over the seats of delegates at large and in the second district of Florida in favor of the Taft faction headed by National Committeeman Combs.

Much bitterness was shown in the arguments before the committee. Mr. Stripling, who headed the fight for the anti-Taft people, charged that Butler Ames of Massachusetts was responsible for the giving out of tickets to the Florida convention which Mr. Stripling declared had been forged.

During the discussion over the delegates at large and in the second district in Florida bitter personalities were exchanged. Attorneys for the Florida faction charged that the Foraker men had used forged tickets. When Mr. Stripling arose to address the committee in behalf of the anti-Taft faction

Committeeman Streeter of New Hampshire asked him flatly: "Who furnished the forged tickets?" "They were handed to me by Butler Ames of Massachusetts," said Mr. Stripling. It was not charged that Mr. Ames himself had forged the tickets nor that he knew them to have been forged.

Mr. Stripling said that when he was appointed United States district attorney in Florida he informed Mr. Chubb, chairman of the state delegation, that if Chubb endorsed him Stripling would send to Washington a repudiation of the endorsement. When this statement was made Mr. Chubb arose and said: "That is an absolute falsehood."

Mr. Stripling replied: "I affirm on my honor as a man that what I have said is true." The two men glared at each other and for an instant it seemed as though a personal conflict was inevitable. The chairman, New, however, promptly

ruled both men out of order and the incident went no further.

The contest in the third Florida district which was arranged to follow that in the second district went over until Monday, the Georgia contest being taken up.

When the motion to decide in favor of the Taft delegates was made at the conclusion of the hearing Committeeman Scott of Alabama moved as an amendment that the anti-Taft delegation be seated. This motion was seconded by Committeeman Crane of Massachusetts but on a viva voce vote the amendment was lost and the original motion prevailed and the Taft delegates were seated.

A representative of The Sun tried to reach Butler Ames this afternoon and get a statement from him. The Ames residence was called on the telephone and the informant was given out that the congressman is not in town.

corporation boarding house where a case of smallpox developed and he had to submit to vaccination. Feeling that he was already immune he, as soon as the doctor got through with him, washed the virus from his arm. Williamson is very philosophic. He allows that his present attack was coming to him. "I was too cock sure," he says.

The board of health is congratulating itself that no more cases have been reported and the board feels that there wasn't any contagion from the Williamson case.

## CHIEF WHITNEY

Issues Circular Relative to Portable Booths

The following circular letter relative to the use of portable booths has been issued by John H. Whitney, chief of the Massachusetts District Police:

Permission to use portable booths which have been approved by this department does not extend to their use in any theatre or public hall in a city or town in which permanent booths have been installed. Permission to use portable booths is only intended to cover the temporary exhibition, for one night, of moving pictures in places of assembly such as schools, churches, association halls, lodge rooms, etc., where, in the judgment of this department, it is not practicable to install permanent booths made in accordance with our specifications already published.

All permission for the use of portable booths are subject to the directions of the state inspector of factories and public buildings in whose district it is desired to use a portable booth.

Notice should be sent to the office of the district police at least one week before the date on which it is desired to use a portable booth, to enable the inspector to properly investigate the conditions under which the booth is to be used. The notice must also state the portion of the building in which the booth is to be located.

MONDAY.  
Dunlavy and Kerwin, adultery.  
Agnes Greenwood, appeal from sentence to Sherborn.

Joseph Bruce, appeal from sentence to Massachusetts reformatory.  
Mary E. Martin, appeal from sentence to Sherborn.

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## PRES. ROOSEVELT

REAPPOINTS MEMBERS OF WATERWAYS COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Carrying out his declaration to the conference of governors that should congress fail to provide for the continuance of the inland waterways commission he would continue it by executive act, and congress having failed to act on the subject, President Roosevelt today reappointed the members of that committee. In doing so he made public the following explanation:

"In view of the desirability of continuing the work of the inland waterways commission the president has requested those designated last year with the exception of General Alexander Mackenzie, chief of engineers, war department, who has retired, to continue their services on the said commission and has also requested Senator William B. Allison, Rep. Joseph B. Handley, and Prof. George C. Swain of the Massachusetts institute of technology to serve as members. As soon as selection for the chief of engineers for the war department has been made he will also be designated a member of the commission in place of Gen. Mackenzie."

"Several prospective members of the committee changing to be in Washington talked the matter over with President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft and others interested in the subject. That is all there is to be said about the Washington conference."

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.  
BOSTON, June 6.—Although the copper shares opened the quiet, there was considerable strength in sympathy with the improved tone in the New York list. It is the general sentiment that when the numbers at Chicago will be known there will be an improvement in the local copper shares.

## INSTANTLY KILLED

SON SAW HIS FATHER STRUCK BY TRAIN

BEVERLY, June 6.—John Hanesbury, employed at the plant of the United Shoe Machinery Co. here was struck and instantly killed by a train at the Federal street bridge when the Boston & Maine R. R. bore a Boston-bound express train. His son Walter was looking out of the factory window at the time and witnessed his father's death. Hanesbury was 45 years of age and is survived by a wife and ten children.

## REACHES ST. PETERSBURG

ST. PETERSBURG, June 6.—B. Bourlier, St. Charles, the conductor of the French car in the New York to Paris auto race, arrived here today by rail on his way to Paris. He said he left his car at Vladivostok.

## MISSIONARY UNION

CLIFTONSPRINGS, N. Y., June 6.—Modern medical work in foreign missionary fields was the topic discussed at today's session of the International Missionary Union. Several members of the union, home on furlough from the distant lands in which they have labored brought encouraging reports of the advancement in the missionary medical field during the first quarter of a century of the life of the union.

## JULES LAMBEUX DEAD

BRUSSELS, June 6.—The death is announced of Jules Lambeux, the Belgian sculptor. He was born in 1832 in Antwerp.

## SHOT HIMSELF

AFTER HOLDING THE POLICE AT BAY

WASHINGTON, June 6.—After holding the police at bay for six hours, Dr. Joseph Pospisil, an employee of the pension office, shot himself through the brain yesterday while insane. Laboring under a delusion that an attempt was being made to murder him, he fired at pedestrians and into the homes of his neighbors. When the police came he fired upon them, presenting their near approach to the house. Altogether he fired about 30 shots, none of which, however, took effect.

Before arming himself, Pospisil passed his three little children through the windows to persons in the adjoining house. His wife remained with him, trying to quiet him, but becoming alarmed when he fired on the police, she joined her children. When he shot himself he was sitting in the second story window of his home. He plunged forward to the ground and died on the way to the hospital. Dr. Pospisil came to Washington from Wisconsin about 15 years ago.

## STORY UNTRUE

BOY WHO CONFESSED MURDER MAY BE INSANE

DEDHAM, June 6.—Anthony Santo, the boy who made an alleged confession Saturday that he killed Louise Staula, the child found with her head crushed in the Cannock Island district some weeks ago, has been practically eliminated from all connection with the murder to which he confessed, as a result of a long examination held yesterday by the police. The officers questioned the boy for hours yesterday and although he still stuck to the statement made Saturday declaring not only that he killed the Staula girl, but that he also killed two Brooklyn N. Y. boys in a similar manner, the officers came to the conclusion that he was suffering from hallucinations and that he had no real connection with the murder of the girl.

Chief of Police Sackett said last night that he will probably have young Santo examined by a board of physicians as soon as he is able to leave the hospital for a period of time. He said that the feeble minded should be treated with kindness and not with harshness.

## FOUR MEN SHOT

LIVE

ATTLEBORO, June 6.—Four men were shot, one of whom will probably die, as a result of a night raid last between two camps of the K. K. K. Italians, here yesterday. The most seriously injured man, Thomas Donatelli, was taken to the Rhode Island hospital. The others had their wounds attended to at the jail. A deputy sheriff made many arrests after the affray was over.

## HANGED HIMSELF

MANSFIELD, June 6.—Wm. Wood, aged 55 years, committed suicide yesterday by hanging. Wood was due to go to health is supposed to have led to the suicide.

# DESPERATE FIGHT

## Alleged Robbers Barricaded in a Vacant House Near Pittsburg

PITTSBURG, June 6.—While attempting to arrest four men about 10 o'clock this morning near Elizabeth, County Detective England shot and killed one of the men and was himself wounded twice. The men are alleged to be implicated in the holdup and robbery of the Monongahela Consolidated Coal & Coke Co.'s general store last Thursday morning.

The other three men are barricaded in a vacant house holding a posse of citizens in check with rifles and revolvers. An automobile carrying six county detectives left here at 10:30 this morning. A desperate battle is expected to occur when the detectives reach the scene.

wins it will have proven its title clear to the championship of the Merrimack Valley league which includes Haverhill, Lawrence and this city, and Lowell will win the silver trophy as was the case last year.

## CITY SEALER

HAS BEEN KEPT BUSY ALL THE TIME

Since being installed at his office in Railroad street, the city sealer, Mr. John Stott, and his assistant, have sealed more than 100 gross of milk bottles, and several thousand measures of other description including coke baskets.

## LIVES IN DANGER

HOUSES SWEEP AWAY BY THE FLOODS

ENID, Okla., June 6.—Following six hours of rainfall, Boggy creek, running through the city, widened today from 20 feet to 200 feet flooding almost the whole of Enid, carrying away 50 houses, flooding stores and endangering lives. The water is 12 feet deep in May street, covering two blocks of the business center.

## CORONER'S JURY

SAYS FARM HAND MURDERED THREE PERSONS

FREEHOLD, N. J., June 6.—W. R. Sheppard, his wife Josephine and their servant Jennie Beale, who were murdered in their farm home near here on May 16, came to their death at the hands of Frank Zastara, a young farm hand in the opinion of a coroner's jury which held an inquest over the bodies today. Zastara is now in the county jail. The police say he has made a confession.

## GRAVESEND RACE

GRAVESEND, N. Y., June 6.—First race, James R. Brady, Ed. Garner, 11 to 5, even and 1 to 2 won; Garner 84.2. Duxan, 15 to 5, even and 1 to 2, second. Queen Marguerite, 25. McCarty, 8 to 1, 1 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time—1:09 3-5. Rapid Water, Salary, Momentum, Disaster, Frank Lord, Big Ben, Russell, Crack Shot, Convictus, Imports and Simple Honours ran.

## PETTMANN APPOINTED

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Bernhardt Pettmann was today appointed by President Roosevelt as internal revenue collector at Cincinnati.

## INQUIRY COURT

To Investigate Accident to Tennessee

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The cause of the accident on the cruiser Tennessee in which four men were killed burning of a steam pipe while the vessel was off the California coast will be thoroughly examined into by a board of investigation or court of inquiry to be appointed by Admiral Sabre.

Upon the results of this inquiry will depend the question of whether any of the officers are responsible for the accident and will also serve for a basis for any improvement of the machinery necessary to prevent a recurrence of the accident. Admiral Sabre has telegraphed a report giving the same information as the newspaper despatches from San Pedro. The accident, he says, occurred at 11 a. m. while the vessel was under full power, the four-inch boiler was bursting. He said that the injured men were to be transferred to the hospital at Los Angeles this morning. Following the accident the admiral communicated with the first division of the Pacific fleet to obtain additional dressings for the wounded men and then proceeded to San Pedro. The admiral's report gives the list of dead and injured previously as given in the press despatches.

Several months ago there was an accident to the boiler machinery on the cruiser

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LEATHER SUIT CASES, worth from  
\$5.50 to \$25.00, at from \$3.98 to \$18.00,  
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These Special Trunk  
Values are Rarely  
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A few numbers are as follows:

One lot Canvas Covered Trunks, ex-  
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lar price \$5.50.

One lot Brass-trimmed Trunks, large  
sizes, cloth lined, fibre binding, ex-  
celior locks, straps, etc., finely made,  
\$5.98, regular price \$9.00.

One lot finely made Trunks, small  
hardwood cleats on top and sides,  
white fibre binding, principal parts  
hand riveted, made by first-class  
workmen. Slightly and durable. \$10  
for all sizes, worth \$15.

We also have a lot of other Bureau  
Trunks, etc., in prices up to \$29.00.  
See display in our Merrimack Street  
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Now on sale in our Palmer Street  
store, near Avenue door.

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ALL NEW PATTERNS, including  
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FOR 29c YARD—We are closing out  
some 5-inch and 6-inch wide Dres-  
den Ribbons, some with plain white,  
pink or blue borders, others have  
satin stripes or pink, blue, green,  
yellow or lavender, especially nice  
for Misses' Sashes and Hair Bows,  
also for Millinery.

SILK SHOE-TIE RIBBONS, 1½ and  
1½ inches wide, in black, white, tan  
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	O'Brien's Price	Our Price
Brown Enamelled Tea and Coffee Pots	30c	20c
1 Wash Benches	65c	25c
5 (only) Clothes Horses	65c	39c
5 (only) Trailing Tables	\$1.00	59c
4 (only) Clothes Wringers	\$1.98	\$1.19
2 (only) Bench Clothes Wringers	\$3.98	\$2.49
2 (only) Bench Clothes Wringers	\$4.50	\$2.98
19 (only) Boys' Sleds	25c	10c
11 (only) Snow Shovels	25c	15c
4 (only) Child's Rocking Chairs	25c	15c
4 (only) Carpet Sweepers, nickel	\$3.00	\$1.98
6 (only) Carpet Sweepers, nickel	\$2.50	\$1.69
14 (only) Framed Pictures, with glass	35c	15c
Swift's Washing Powder	3c	3c
Swift's "Snap" Laundry Soap	3c	2c
Swift's White Ribbon Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Swift's Buttermilk Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Swift's Violet Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Dr. Carnot's Complexion Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Fairbanks' Tar Glycerine Toilet Soap	5c	3c
29 (only) Braided Cotton Clothes Lines	10c	7c
15 (only) Twisted Cotton Clothes Lines	10c	5c
10 (only) Jute Clothes Lines	20c	10c
28 (only) Half Peck Packages Matches	10c	5c
100 (only) Tin Table Spoons	15c Doz.	5c Doz.
100 Tin Tea Spoons	10c Doz.	3c Doz.
25 Sink Scrapers and Shovel	5c	3c
16 Fry Pans	10c to 30c	5c
30 Tin Lipped Kettles	10c, 15c	5c
Individual Glass Salts	10c	3c
White Hotel Sugar Bowls	35c	15c
100 White Coffee Mugs	90c Doz.	5c Each
60 White Sauce Boats	20c	10c
25 Decorated Sauce Boats	25c	15c
150 Large White Custards	10c	5c
30 Rockingham Soap Dishes	10c, 12c	5c
25 White Toilet Basins	50c	25c
20 Decorated Toilet Basins	75c	35c
50 Glass Candle Sticks	19c	10c
200 Glass Oils or Vinegar Cruets	10c	5c
200 Decorated Bone Dishes	10c	5c
2400 5-inch, 6-inch and 7-inch Decorated Plates	10c	5c
350 Decorated Oatmeal	10c	5c
125 Decorated Fruit Saucers	10c	5c
25 Decorated Soap Dishes	19c	10c
60 Gray Enamelled Deep Jelly Cake Pans	12c, 14c	5c
61 8-inch Lamp Reflectors	15c	10c
50 Paring Knives	10c	5c
1 Parlor Lamp	\$11.49	\$6.98
1 Parlor Lamp	\$7.49	\$4.98
220 Decorated Fruit Saucers	\$8.00	\$3.00
Toilet Sets	\$5.00	\$3.98

## DINNER SETS

Ten Sets, from which some of the pieces are missing—

	O'Brien's Price	Our Price
One Set, 74 pieces	\$10.00	\$4.50
One Set, 59 pieces	\$10.00	\$4.98
One Set, 97 pieces	\$10.00	\$5.98
One Set, 99 pieces	\$10.00	\$5.98
One Set, 103 pieces	\$10.00	\$6.50
One Set, 55 pieces	\$12.00	\$8.92
One Set, 87 pieces	\$12.00	\$8.92
One Set, 96 pieces	\$16.50	\$10.98
One Set, 98 pieces	\$16.50	\$10.98
One Set, 90 pieces	\$18.00	\$10.98

## TEA SETS

	O'Brien's Price	Our Price
One Set, 46 pieces	\$6.98	\$3.98
One Set, 54 pieces	\$6.98	\$4.50
Two Sets, 56 pieces, complete	\$6.98	\$5.00

## DECORATED TOILET SETS

	O'Brien's Price	Our Price
Decorated Toilet Sets	\$3.69	\$2.50
Large Mirrors (bevel edge), gilt frames	\$3.50	\$1.98

## DINNERWARE STOCK PATTERNS

O'Brien's open stock patterns of Dinner Ware, consisting of the "Dawey" in gray, green and brown,  
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Please notice that in some of the above items the quantities are limited; also that some of the  
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## MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

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Skirts, extra full, deep flounce of Val. lace and insertion, and deep flounce of wide hamburg, for \$1.98, regular \$2.50 and \$2.98.		
Full Skirt, trimmed with insertion and deep lace, \$1.59, regular \$2.00.		
Deep flounce, five rows of Val. insertion, with lawn bands between lace in flounce and also on dust ruffle. \$1.69, regular price \$2.00.		
Deep flounce, made of five rows Val. insertion with lawn bands between and wide hamburg insertion, lace on bottom of flounce and on dust ruffle, for \$1.98, regular price \$2.98.		
A large line from \$1.98 to \$6.00, in lace and ham- burg.		
Fancy Lace Covers, in new styles, for 39c, 50c to \$2.98		
Drawers, good cotton, full size, tucked ruffle, 19c, regular price 25c.		
Corset Covers, with lace and insertion, for 19c, regular price 25c.		
Corset Covers, yoke made of three rows of Val. insertion and beading, for 39c, regular price 50c and 62c.		
Gowns, V and high neck, tucked yoke, 39c, regu- lar price 50c.		
Gowns, nainsook, full and long, kimono sleeves, lace trimmings, and other styles in hamburg for 79c, regular price \$1.30.		
Skirts, good cotton, flounce tucked, for 42c.		
Skirts, full size, blind hamburg \$1.19, regular price \$1.50.		
Skirts, extra full flounce of insertion and deep lace, \$1.58, regular price \$2.00.		

West Section Centre Aisle West Section Second Floor

## BASEBALL

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## MEMORIAL DAY

Observed by Manchester Unity Odd Fellows

SERVICES HELD AT CEMETERY

Address by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott

The Manchester Unity lodges of Odd Fellows of this city together with members of Asa Pollard lodge of North Uxbridge and Nashoba lodge of Littleton held their annual memorial exercises yesterday afternoon, and at the same time dedicated their new burial lot in Westlawn cemetery, an annex to the Edson cemetery.

During the early part of the afternoon services were held in Grafton hall in Merrimack street. The roll call of deceased members was read. There was but one death in the local lodges this year, Edwin Lamson of Merrimack Valley lodge.

At two o'clock the line formed in Merrimack street. It was headed by ten past grands of the local lodges, namely: William Hudson, William Bamber, John Dawson, Douglas Robertson, Henry Davis, John Boughton, Andrew Mowatt, John Scoble, George Anzias and Arthur Black. The National band, R. A. Griffiths, leader, followed. Then came the chief marshal of the day, Charles W. Culham, James McCaskey was chief marshal's aid and the members of the memorial committee were: Frederick Silk, chairman; Ernest Nelson, secretary; and Edgar W. Derman, treasurer. The members of the lodges followed. Carriages brought up the rear of the line.

The members then marched through the principal streets of the city to the cemetery. The work of decorating the graves had been done in the forenoon.

Manchester Unity lot was reached about three o'clock and with the members formed in a hollow square. The exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. Benj. A. Willmott, of the First Congregational church. Two stanzas of "Nearer, My God to Thee" were then sung, with band accompaniment. The memorial address was given by Rev. M. Willmott. He said in part:

"Brothers of the Manchester Unity lodges of Odd Fellows: We are gathered about this beautiful burial plot this afternoon as a token of our love for the memories of those members of our order who have passed on, as a token of our loyalty to their memory, of our loyalty to our brotherhood and our fraternity."

"This is a great order, extending all over the world, and it embraces all the virtues and all walks of life. And when we speak of this order we must think of the great facts back of our Christian civilization, the facts of the base of it. They are the universal brotherhood of God and the universal brotherhood of man."

"And, when we think of those sleep-

ing in death, we can best remember them, not simply by recalling their virtues, but by thinking of the brevity of our lives. A feeling of great solemnity must come over us all when we think of our few days on earth. God has so ordained that our days be low here should be, but few and we must strive during those few days to pattern our lives as closely after God as possible."

"Your order is one of mutual helpfulness. Every one has his burden to bear. Very often the cheery smile masks the heart-breaking sorrow. Such is not the case of any one body of men alone, but it is true of the human race. Although we have not the power to carry the burdens of our brothers, we can seek to make those burdens lighter."

"We should be prepared for the awful emergency of death. And not spiritual preparation alone. We should seek, during our few days here, to prepare for our wives and children who will live after us, prepare against the increasing of poverty on them. This is the two-fold function of every great organization. The spirituality of life is the crowning effort of a life. Man is more than a machine to earn money; he is a being with an immortal destiny. In our thoughts of death there should be no morbidness. We ought to prepare for the great change and so live our lives that we will be ready when the hour comes."

"It frequently takes more of heroism to work day in and day out for our families than to die on the battlefield. As Abraham Lincoln said, 'God bless the common people,' so may you glory in the fact that we are the average men. Brothers: be brothers. Be brothers in the mills, be brothers in the homes, on the streets, carry your great gospel out of your lodge room and make it the gospel of all you know."

Mayor Farnham was unable to be present to make any remarks. The funeral services of the late Mr. Lathrop, carried out by Dr. George W. Lathrop, assisted by the members of the order. This was followed by the hymn, "Lead Kindly Light," sung to the old English tune of "Saudade." The salutation of the brothers was then in order, followed by benediction, which was given by Rev. Mr. Willmott.

The line re-formed, marching down Grafton and Central streets to Merrimack, where it disbanded at Grafton hall.

## A SURPRISE

SUPT. J. E. THORNE PRESENTED A CHAIR.

One of the most pleasant events in the Chelmsford street parish took place Saturday evening when a company of Sunday school teachers, officers and adult scholars assembled at an early hour at the Chelmsford street church and marched in a body to the home of Superintendent J. E. Thorne, 59 Puffer street. The event took the form of a surprise party to Mr. Thorne who has served as the efficient and genial superintendent of the Chelmsford street Sunday school during the past eight years, where he is held in highest esteem and greatly beloved by old and young.

Mr. Thorne is foreman of bridge construction on the southern division of the Boston &amp; Maine R. R., and his duties take him out of town the greater part of the week, but all of his spare time when in Lowell is spent in the



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interest of the church and Sunday school.

In recognition of these faithful services the company to the number of about 50 persons met Mr. Thorne at the door of his home Saturday evening and gave him the time of his life. Though he was taken entirely by surprise he met the situation with good grace and exercised excellent self-control. The evening was spent in playing games, singing and in other pleasurable forms of amusement. During the evening the Bible class served ice cream, cake and delicious refreshments. Before departing the company further surprised Mr. Thorne by presenting to him a token of their esteem in the form of an odd, fancy rattan chair. Rev. Mr. Kenyon made the presentation speech and assured Mr. Thorne that the chair was not intended as a suggestion that the superintendent should retire from service and henceforth be seated, but was a token of love with the hope that if perchance he should sometime feel weary and care-worn he may know that his colleagues had made provision for his well earned comfort.

Mr. Thorne responded in a few well chosen words, expressing his appreciation and requested that the company sing "Best Be the Tie." It was a late hour when the happy party adjourned, all feeling that the occasion had been a grand success.

## PRINCETON CLUB

MET LAST NIGHT AND ELECTED OFFICERS.

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Princeton club of Central street was held last night and the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: President, George

Donchue; secretary, William McKenzie; treasurer, William Ryan; board of trustees, Denis A. O'Brien, chairman, Charles Slawey, John Nelson, Myles Thompson and Thomas Hublin. It was voted to turn out in the Centralville Night Before celebration and present a feature. It is expected that 100 members will be in line. The committee appointed to take charge of the arrangements for the feature in the parade consists of Frank Golden, Walter Foye and Denis A. O'Brien. One new member, John Carrig, was admitted.

## STAR THEATRE

There is an excellent program on this week. A virtuoso and impersonator of a high class will be the vaudeville feature. The moving pictures are up-to-date in drama and comedy and among the best obtainable. "Two Little Baby Shoes" will be sung by Duke Curry as an illustrated song. The illustrations are beautiful and

the song very attractive. "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" is without doubt the most popular and up-to-date song of the day. Mr. Bell will sing it this week, which will be his first appearance in Lowell. Don't fail to hear it.

## MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Marriage intentions registered at the city clerk's office since the last were published are as follows:

Archibald Campbell, 37, chemist's assistant, 28 Anderson street, and Mary B. Law, 24, at home, 688 Bridge street.

Fred Clarence Whittier, 29, overseer, 55 Eighteenth street, and Harriet Louise Lowberg, 30, at home, 99 Chestnut street.

Joseph Conitt, 38, carpenter, Fleetstreet, R. I., and Marie M. Hay, 25, milliner, 35 Decatur street.

Emanuel Bioga, 28, barber, Hudson, Mass., and Nellie Kristas, 22, operative, 21 Lincoln street.

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## Down, Down, Go the Prices With a Thundering Crash!

OUR REMEDY To dispose of W. Cadoret &amp; Co's. stock the National Salvage Company, of New York, wishes to save the trouble of packing the stock, hauling and railroad transportation and our remedy is to make a great sacrifice on this stock of Furniture, Carpets, etc. on profits direct to the public, and we are making it real and strong. Listen! Our prices are talking to you; they are telling you a straightforward story of economy and actual saving on Furniture, Carpets, etc. that has never been told heretofore in Lowell. We say again we don't wish to move any of the stock, as every article has been invoiced, and the entire stock marked in plain figures, cut down to the lowest limit. You will do yourself an injustice unless you take advantage of this great sacrifice of W. Cadoret &amp; Co's. stock before it is too late. We will open Wednesday, June 10, at 9 a. m. and the entire stock will be sold quickly. The NATIONAL SALVAGE CO., New York, selling out W. Cadoret &amp; Co's. entire stock, Lowell, Mass.

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WAIT FOR BIG OPENING, Wednesday, June 10

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## MATTINGS

Our importation 1908 Mattings have arrived and they go on sale. Good China Matting, neat patterns, most beautiful colorings, worth 25c a yard, price..... 13c a Yard All grades of high-class Mattings in all patterns and colors; worth up to 50c and 60c a yard, sale price a yard..... 25c Coco Washable Matting, reversible sides, worth 60c a yard, 39c Matting Rugs, size 8x12, at..... \$3.98

## LINOLEUMS

Linoleums, well seasoned, good materials, pretty range, new block, conventional and parquetry and art effects. Price, square yard..... 39c

## CARPET DEPT.

Our purchase from the mill was bought at 55 cents on the dollar, but will be sold to the people of Lowell and vicinity for less than manufacturer's cost. Now if you are in need of a carpet or rug, the time has come to make your purchase, for this will be your life-long opportunity.

Stair Carpet..... 19c Yard Half-woven Ingrain..... 29c Yard All-wool Ingrain, cotton chain, first class quality, elegant pattern..... 39c Yard Striped All-wool Ingrain, very best grade, handsome pattern, 1908 design..... 55c Yard Tapestry Brussels, this spring patterns, nice colorings, good quality..... 49c Yard Extra quality Tapestry Brussels, Oriental Persian patterns..... 55c Yard

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An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE-THIRD the price charged by the other dapers.

## REAL AND FICTITIOUS VALUES

FOR SOME TIME PAST STOCK MARKET PRICES HAVE BEEN DEMORALIZED AND STOCKS THAT ONCE WERE CONSIDERED GILT EDGED HAVE DWINDED DOWN TO THE LOWEST EBB THUS WIPING AWAY FORTUNES THAT CAN NEVER BE RECOVERED.

THE COLLAPSE OF PRICES IN THE VARIOUS STOCKS SHOWS THAT BY ONE MEANS OR ANOTHER THE SPECULATORS MANAGE TO GIVE THEIR STOCKS FICTITIOUS VALUES BY BLUFFING THE PUBLIC AND BY MISREPRESENTATION AS TO THE FACTS. BUT WHEN A DEPRESSION OR SOMETHING IN THE NATURE OF A PANIC ARRIVES THE GREAT TENDENCY IS TOWARD THE INTRINSIC VALUES. THE FICTITIOUS VALUES SLIP AWAY LIKE WIND FROM AN INFLATED BAG AND ONLY THE ACTUAL VALUES REMAIN. REAL ESTATE HOLDS ITS VALUE AS A RULE AND IN THIS RESPECT IS MUCH SAFER AS AN INVESTMENT THAN STOCKS, WHICH ARE SUBJECT TO SUCH SUDDEN FLUCTUATION. THE HIGH TARIFF PREVAILING IN THIS COUNTRY ENABLES THE TRUSTS TO SET FICTITIOUS VALUES UPON VARIOUS COMMODITIES WITH THE RESULT THAT IF THE TRUST MONOPOLIES BE BROKEN UP BY A LOWER TARIFF, OR OTHER CAUSE, THERE WILL BE A LEVELLING OF VALUES REGULATED BY THE REAL OR INTRINSIC VALUE, SAME AS THERE IS AT PRESENT IN THE STOCK MARKET.

THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION HAS DECIDED TO SHOW THE LIBERALITY OF THE MEMBERS BY GIVING THEIR CLERKS AN IDEAL OUTING IN AUGUST. THE PROGRAM PLANNED FOR THE OCCASION IS ONE THAT WILL MEET THE HEARTY APPROVAL OF EVERY CLERK IN THE CITY. THE CLERKS, AS A CLASS, WORK HARD AND THIS MARK OF APPRECIATION BY THEIR EMPLOYERS WILL SERVE TO MAKE THEM MORE DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF THE LATTER.

THERE IS NOW A STRONG RIVALRY BETWEEN CENTRALVILLE AND THE SOUTH END AS TO WHICH WILL DRAW THE LARGEST CROWD THE NIGHT BEFORE THE FOURTH. WE WOULD SUGGEST THAT BOTH UNITE THEIR FORCES IN PARADING ON CENTRAL AND MERRIMACK STREETS SO THAT THE PUBLIC CAN JUDGE OF THEIR COMPARATIVE MERITS.

AT A TIME WHEN THE WATCHWORD IN EVERY OTHER DEPARTMENT IS "ECONOMY" THE SCHOOL BOARD GOES RIGHT AHEAD WITH ITS OLD TIME DEALS WITH PUBLISHERS FOR BOOKS THAT ARE NOT NEEDED. THE SCHOOL BOARD HAS MORE CONSIDERATION FOR THE BOOK PUBLISHERS THAN IT HAS FOR THE TAXPAYERS.

THE CITY COUNCIL IS AS MUCH AT SEA AS EVER ON THE PLAN OF SEWERAGE FOR THE ANNEXED DISTRICT AND THUS IT MUST REMAIN UNTIL IT ORDERS THE CITY ENGINEER TO SUPPLY THE NECESSARY PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE WHOLE SYSTEM.

JUNE IS A GREAT MONTH FOR WEDDINGS AND THE NUMBER OF INTENTIONS RECORDED THUS FAR AT CITY HALL WOULD INDICATE THAT THE PRESENT MONTH WILL NOT FALL BEHIND THE RECORD OF PAST YEARS.

MILL MATTERS ARE LOOKING MUCH BRIGHTER. THE SWING OF THE BUSINESS PENDULUM BACK TO THE SIDE OF PROSPERITY MAY BE SLOW, BUT IN THE OPINION OF SHREWD MILL MEN IT WILL HENCEFORTH MOVE STEADILY IN THAT DIRECTION.

THE RESIDENTS OF TYLER PARK HAVE NOTHING AGAINST THE HORSE BUT THEY DO NOT CARE TO HAVE HIM FOR THEIR NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR.

THE SCHOOL BOARD IS THE ONLY CITY DEPARTMENT THAT KNOWS NO BUSINESS DEPRESSION.

THIS IS THE HARVEST TIME OF THE TROLLEY LINES.

## SEEN AND HEARD

Here are a few items for the consideration of employer and employee in business:

The man who is ashamed to work with his hands will never do any valuable work with his brains.

A stream of opportunities is constantly going by. Pick out the ones that you can use and nab them.

If you would be a judge of men must be able to withhold judgment until certainty takes the place of assumption.

All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, and a dull boy will sell very few goods and make no satisfied customers.

To be happy one must keep busy. There is no joy in idleness which goes further than rest and becomes one's profession.

Your best salesmen will lose some sales. Don't expect a man to be a successful hypnotist for ten or twelve dollars per.

Slipshod management begets slipshod help and carelessness, even in the smallest details, is never unnoticed by the employer.

Never wink at the overcharging of a customer. Reprove a clerk as quickly for an error in your favor as for one in favor of the customer.

No engagement is so unimportant as not to be worth punctuality. Be on hand when you agree to be and you can demand punctuality in others.

The successful man today is the practical man. If you are not already familiar with the working side of your business, begin the study of it now.

An oversold or an overcharged customer is a customer lost nine times in ten. Look at every sale from the customer's point of view before you call it closed.

It will pay any man, no matter how big his store, to see as many customers personally as his time will allow. People like to do business with the head of the concern.

No arrogant man shall pass through the portals of Mercantile Success. He who is an arrogant employer shall have servile employees. What a prize combination for repelling trade!

If you expect your clerks to be enthusiastic about the store and the business, see that you give them some reason to be. Nothing will starve to death much quicker than enthusiasm.

The trade of the moneyed class is most desirable, but don't get the name of running a store for the class of customers unless that class is large enough to supply all the business you want.

The man who hides his time has been commended a good deal, but if you ever watched one of these men who hide their time and succeed in the end, you will notice that while they wait they labor diligently.

## MORE HOUSEHOLD WOE

(Chicago News.)  
Life used to have a rosy hue,  
But now it's turning green.  
A measly vendence meets my view  
In each domestic scene.  
I'm pretty sure I never thought  
I had the self-restraint  
That I have shown since Mary bought  
That gallon can of paint.

She bought it to renew a chair  
That age and use had worn  
And ever since with blank despair  
And rage and grief I'm torn.  
The color isn't to my taste,  
The odor makes me faint,  
But Mary doesn't like to waste—  
She's using up that paint.

Perhaps a pint had been enough—  
Perhaps a little less;  
But there's a gallon of the stuff  
That causes my distress.  
She's freshened this and freshened that  
Till it would vex a saint.  
It's green as grass all through the flat  
Since Mary bought that paint.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

## THE NEW YORK RECOUNT.

Boston Herald: As to the McMillan-Hearst recount, the cold fact is that the changes up to date are far less numerous or important than are discovered in the recounts we are accustomed to in Massachusetts. And we don't denounce them as frauds on the ballot box, but simply the result of carelessness in counting.

## BIG GAME.

Boston Post: The announcement comes with apparently veracious indorsement from the White House that Mr. Roosevelt intends to go to Africa and shoot elephants after the 4th of March next.

At the moment, this is accepted as an absolute and sufficient declaration of refusal of renomination at Chicago. If the president has bought his guns and engaged his beaters and laid in his supplies for an African campaign against strange wild beasts, he has given evidence of the sincerity of his withdrawal from office here at home.

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

In his statement given out just before his departure for Europe, Cardinal Logue expressed his gratitude to

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the American people for the cordial reception they had given him, recorded a realization of his high conception of the American republic's mission, and expressed his conviction that this country is assured of a glorious future if it but be true to the ideals of the republic's founders.

The cardinal, however, saw dangers ahead. His note of warning was against the misuse of prosperity and power. He alluded to his visit to Mt. Vernon and the perfect air of simplicity that he found marking the homestead and the tomb of Washington, and added:

"If I may be allowed to draw a lesson from Mt. Vernon, I should like to say to the American people that the alarming increase in the number of divorces in the United States is a great and crying evil, full of danger. The greatness of any country must be measured by the strength and purity of the home. Divorce disrupts the home and desecrates its sanctity. I feel that the American people appreciate the beneficent influence of the Catholic church in its fight for the home, in which the first lessons of respect for authority and the necessity for obedience must be learned; and these lessons cannot be instilled into the mind of the child if the home be not what it ought to be."

Cardinal Logue will have as traveling companions on his voyage Bishop Browne of Cloyne and their two secretaries. A steamer, carrying Archbishop Farley, numerous other ecclesiastics and a large party of laymen conveyed the Campana down the bay when she sailed.

When about to evolve one of his semi-annual works of exciting and adventurous fiction, F. Phillips Oppenheim does not sit down in his library and start the motor power of his imagination, but sails for London or one of the continental capitals, where he proceeds to mingle with Bohemianism or other picturesque and unconventional real life. There he finds living models and strange episodes, tragic and comic, which lend themselves to his ready pen and fertile note books.

Senator Sutherland of Utah is the only senator who was born in England.

N. S. Bowker of Marshfield, Me., has been chairman of the board of selection for years, from 1883 to 1895, excepting 1894. He was also town treasurer for 21 years and is at the present time town clerk.

The country store account book used by Ebenezer and Samuel Talcott of Wethersfield, Conn., in 1752 is owned by William H. Talcott, a descendant. These old accounts were kept in pounds, shillings and pence.

David A. Ashley of Springfield celebrated his 54th birthday recently by taking his first automobile ride, which he appeared to enjoy greatly.

## LEG CUT OFF

MAN WAS FOUND LYING ON THE TRACK.

NATICK, June 8.—James Lunsden, a native of Scotland, 23 years old, living at Wellesley, was found on the tracks of the B. & N. R. near Lake Cross-lin, at 7 o'clock yesterday morning with his leg cut off.

Unable to attract the attention of anybody, the unfortunate man had torn the leg of his trousers into strips and had slowly but securely bound up the wound, at least sufficiently to stop the flow of blood that surely would have resulted in his death.

It is thought that he must have been struck by the paper train due to pass that point at about 4.30 in the morning, which means that he was lying on the tracks for two hours and 20 minutes. He was not unconscious when found, but was unable to give any clear reason for being on the tracks, and had no exact knowledge as to when he met with the accident.

He was taken to the Monroe hospital, where his wounds were dressed. His name is now on the dangerous list.

## THE FLORIDA

TO BE PUNCTURED BY MOST POWERFUL TORPEDO.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The monitor Florida, shot at two weeks ago by the heaviest naval gun, will on Saturday, June 13, be punctured beneath her water line by the most powerful American whitehead torpedo. The torpedo is to be sent at the Florida that it may be definitely known whether a water tight bulkhead, specially constructed with her, designed after all the most modern ideas of construction, can be depended upon to save a ship from destruction against this dangerous method of attack. Secretary Metcalf has invited Secretary Taft to be present to witness the demonstration. Naval experts predict that she will not be sunk by the torpedo, but will "settle" about a foot.

When the torpedo strikes, according to official prediction, there will be a splash up the side of the Florida, an explosion and the general settling down of the monitor.

Should the unexpected happen and the bulkhead prove too fragile to withstand the high explosive, the Florida will sink. It is with this contingency in mind that a place for the trial has been selected where the water is shallow, and there the monitor may be raised with the least trouble and cost.

## PASTOR HENSON RESIGNS.

BOSTON, June 8.—Rev. P. S. Henson, for five years pastor of Tremont Temple Baptist church, yesterday announced his resignation to his parish, to take effect November 30th next.

In his letter of resignation Rev. Mr. Henson stated that it was his purpose to give himself a wider ministry and not only to preach from pulpits in various parts of the country but to do considerable literary work.

## JAMES E. O'DONNELL

Attorney-at-Law  
100 North St. Lowell, Mass.

## Wall Paper

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## STABBED IN BACK

Man Killed During a Card Game.

BOSTON, June 8.—James Mendellow, aged 31 years, single, was killed at his home on Clark street, in the North End, late last night, as a result of a quarrel over a card game. Mendellow was stabbed in the back and died almost instantly.

The police are seeking Angelo Charallotta, proprietor of the house, who it was claimed, was one of the party.

## PRESERVING WOOD

ACTION OF THE AMERICAN RAILROADS IN THE MATTER.

The recent action by the board of directors of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way association in appointing a committee of seventeen to investigate and report upon the subject of wood preservation has shown that the practical railroad men of the country recognize the importance of taking steps to conserve the rapidly diminishing timber supply of the United States.

Timber is one of the principal materials purchased by the railroads, and its economical use is a subject of far-reaching importance. More than 100,000,000 cubic feet are used annually by the different railroad companies, and their average life in this country is not more than six or seven years. From a knowledge of European methods, and the knowledge of wood preservation under conditions in this country, timber testing engineers say it is reasonably certain that an average life of from 15 to 20 years may be secured by treating the tie with a good preservative and the use of improved devices for the prevention of mechanical abrasion, thus to a large degree diminishing the drain upon the timber supply.

While the quantity of timber used for ties is very great and the problem of a future supply is a serious one, yet this class of timber is not the only one which should receive consideration. A greater length of service from timber now used by railroads for bridges, trestles, piles, fences and transmission poles is greatly to be desired.

A. L. Kuehn, engineer of track and roadway, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railway, is chairman of this special wood preservation committee and C. C. Crawford, specialist in wood preservation, United States forest service, is its vice chairman. The first meeting was held in Chicago in the early part of last month for the purpose of organizing and deciding upon a plan of work. The committee was divided into four sub-committees to take up the following lines of work:

Statistics and committees—O. Chaunte, consulting engineer, Chicago, Illinois, chairman.

Preservatives and specifications—H. von Schrenk, consulting timber engineer, St. Louis, Missouri, chairman.

Adaptability of woods and their preparation—W. K. Hatt, civil engineer, forest service, Lafayette, Indiana, chairman.

## CANOE UPSET

MARTIN KANE LOST HIS LIFE.

WAYLAND, June 8.—Martin Kane, age 22, was drowned here yesterday in the Sudbury river.

Kane and another young man named James Marron were canoeing, and the craft upset. Kane was evidently a good swimmer, as he was attacked with cramps, as he soon sank. The body was recovered about an hour later.

## MANY DEATHS

HAVE RESULTED FROM THE PLAGUE.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Many deaths have resulted from the plague in La Guayra, Venezuela, and the city is in strict quarantine to prevent the spread of the contagion according to Thomas P. Moffatt, American consul at La Guayra, who reached here yesterday on the steamer Saguamora from Santiago.

La Guayra was kept in absolute quarantine by land and the United States government sent the gunboat Paducah there to take Mr. Moffatt away.

## TWO KILLED

THREE OTHER PERSONS REPORTED MISSING.

CHARLES CITY, Ia., June 8.—A tornado struck Charles City last evening, demolishing about 50 buildings and killing W. W. Ruse and a child. Three children are reported missing. Telephone wires are down and details as to the destruction were unobtainable.

## EDITOR OF CHIEF DEAD.

DETROIT, Mich., June 8.—William Emory Quimby, for many years editor and proprietor of the Detroit Free Press, and former United States minister to the Netherlands, died yesterday in Grace hospital after an illness of three months. He was 73 years old.

Mr. Quimby was born in Brewer, Maine, in 1835.

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## WALKER IS SUED

Plunger's Millions Were Short Lived

## AGAINST BRYAN

SEVERAL NEW YORK DELEGATES FOR JOHNSON.

CHICAGO, June 8.—"The Johnson sentiment in the New York delegation is growing every day," said R. E. Blandy, a delegate from Washington county, who was at Johnson's headquarters yesterday.

"There is a big sentiment for Johnson throughout the state, and also considerable for Gray. I should say there is not much chance for Bryan with our delegation."

"The politicians of New York take the position that Bryan is a 'dead end' in the first place; that he has had two chances, and now he does not want to give us a chance to win."

George S. Thacker, alternate-at-large of Albany writes:

"Beyond question Johnson is the man of the hour, and as a candidate of our party democracy may rationally cherish high hopes under his leadership for a successful issue from the campaign. The public utterances and acts of Gov. Johnson point to him as one who will neither attempt usurpation of constitutional powers nor permit the constitution to be made a blank paper by construction. The New York delegation at Denver undoubtedly will cast its vote as a unit for Gov. Johnson. If the south and the far west can be properly and successfully reached we can nominate as our candidate a man who can win."

William E. Kirk of Syracuse writes: "I am a delegate and the New York delegation is instructed. The state convention instructed us to vote as a unit. When we meet in caucus in Denver I shall vote for the nomination of John A. Johnson of Minnesota. If the majority of our delegation vote as I do Johnson will have 73 votes from New York."

DROWNED WHILE SWIMMING.  
WORCESTER, June 8.—Wilfred Duquette, 16 years old, son of Joseph Duquette of 2 Grand street, was drowned while swimming in Coes reservoir late yesterday. The body was recovered.

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# THEY WILL NOT BOLT FOR FEDERATION

## Opponents of Secretary Taft Recall Their Statement

CHICAGO, June 8.—Last night representatives of the "allies" recalled their statement that they will bolt the republican national committee so far as the presentation of evidence to support the claims of anti-Taft delegations from southern states is concerned.

There is evidence that the announcement made Saturday night on the authority of Rep. James Francis Burke of Pennsylvania, manager for Sen. Knox, after he had concluded with Sen. Hemenway of Indiana; J. B. Keating of Indiana, and others identified with the campaign of the "allies," created dissension. Some of the other spokesmen for the "allies" declared the announcement ill-advised and they busied themselves yesterday in countering its effect. After numerous conferences the following, headed "statement from the allies" was issued:

"Upon the authority of the representatives of all of the presidential candidates other than Secretary of War Taft, it was announced yesterday that they would continue to present their side of the contested delegate cases to the national committee. The decision of the national committee will not take as final the candidates known as the 'allies,' but an appeal will be taken in cases where it is believed injustice has been done, first to the committee on credentials and later to the convention itself.

"The determination of the representatives of the 'allies' to continue the presentation of their side of the contest to the national committee, is not to be taken as an indication that they approved of the manner in which these contests have been decided. But in order to be in a position to present all of the cases in proper form to the committee on credentials, it is deemed advisable to comply with the form of procedure laid down by the national committee.

"It is the firm determination of the representatives of the 'allies' first to give the national committee an opportunity to consider all the contested cases on their merits. It is generally believed that the announcement made Saturday night was designed to test public sentiment and to influence the Taft forces to compromise. That the effect was not what the 'allies' expected, was admitted yesterday by a number of men who had knowledge of the allies' proceeding.

Sen. Crane of Massachusetts, who has been recognized as one of the chief advisers of the anti-Taft movement, said yesterday that the announcement should not have been made.

It became known yesterday that the adjournment of the national committee Saturday night was largely in the nature of a diplomatic proceeding. It was suggested to Sen. Lodge, an ardent supporter of Taft, that inasmuch as the nomination of Taft on the first ballot seemed highly probable, the remainder of the contests should be settled on a harmony basis.

At the suggestion of Frank H. Hitchcock, manager of Taft, and after making the proxy of the New Mexico member of the committee, an adjournment was taken until today.

The Taft managers at once began telegraphic communication with Washington. Neither Mr. Hitchcock, nor Charles P. Taft, brother of the secretary, was inclined to yield to the overtures made. Both were embarrassed, however, by the appeals made by certain members of what is known as the "Old Guard" in the republican ranks. Before noon yesterday, Mr. Hitchcock received from Washington an official endorsement of the "stand pat" position he took and the statement was made that if the "allies" declined to continue their contests before the national committee, the temporary roll of the convention would be filled by the Taft delegations from the contested districts.

"It is nothing but a bluff and I am not going to be scared by it," said Mr. Hitchcock when told of the move by the allies.

It was also noted about that President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft had determined to hold the southern delegations which had been gained and that

no concessions could be expected from the Taft management.

Conferences were again called by the "allies" but, as before, only representatives of Vice President Fairbanks and Sen. Knox with Sen. Crane, who in a general way seem to represent all of the anti-Taft forces, were present. Sen. Crane condemned the plan of violating the regularity of the convention procedure and insisted that regardless of the result, the contests be continued before the national committee.

Sen. Crane said yesterday that after the contests brought by the anti-Taft delegations had been denied by the national convention and later to the convention itself, he did not doubt that the national committee would be sustained. If the Taft managers hold by their declaration, and it is evident that the attitude of the managers of the local headquarters reflects that of the national convention, concessions to the anti-Taft campaign be gained only by a complete surrender.

All of the contests still to be settled are brought by negro voters instructed for Sen. Foraker, excepting four districts in Kentucky, which are claimed for Vice President Fairbanks and two in Missouri, which are claimed for Vice President Fairbanks and two in Missouri, which are claimed for Gov. Hughes.

### STOCK MARKET

STRONG EARLY IN WEEK AND LATER UNSETTLED.

NEW YORK, June 8.—The early strength and the later unsettlement in the securities market last week were attributed to the culmination of some of the influences relied on to advance prices and the development of some more doubtful factors in the situation. The conclusion of the session of congress with the enactment of an emergency currency law was made the occasion for quite a demonstration in the stock market. The adjournment of congress is regarded, from the point of view of one element, as a promise of surcease from threatened activities which are viewed with more or less nervous apprehension by security holders. The reports, later in the week, of further prosecution in contemplation against the Standard Oil company and of possible fines running to a maximum even greater than that of the former case, caused a revulsion of sentiment in the minds of speculators, who had assumed a period of exemption for corporations. This feeling was responsible in part for the sharp reaction in prices. There was perceptible, also, some revulsion of opinion of the effects to be looked for from the operation of new currency law.

Some of the earlier bullish enthusiasm in the stock market was associated with the concerted demonstration in some parts of the commercial and industrial world of professed confidence in the early resumption of prospective activity.

The placing of some large orders in the St. Louis district and the enlargement of production amongst the New England textile mills were effective aids to this demonstration.

It was counteracted sharply by the announcement of a cut in the price of steel bars which was given formal sanction by the United States Steel corporation. Official protestations of the intended strict limitation of this reduction did not allay an anxiety over the possible extension of the movement generally to all lines of production. A connection is assumed between the policy of attempted maintenance of prices in the steel trade and advance of freight rates by the railroads and the hoped for avoidance of cuts in wages in those fields. The developments in the steel trade aroused some fears that wage controversies would be the outcome in both fields.

Continued in the money market moved steadily towards greater ease, both here and abroad. The reduction in the official discount rate of the Imperial bank of Germany marked the first response to the relaxing tendency where it was most belated. Money on call in New York loaned as low as one per cent, and rates for time loans also were shaded. Foreign exchange rates, nevertheless, yielded in New York, and the end of the gold export movement was believed to be reached. There was growing confidence, also in the crop promise, in spite of mixed advices of weather conditions through the week.

### MAN WAYLAI

BEATEN AND ROBBED NEAR HENRIETTA, N. Y.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 8.—Edward Beidon, a railroad conductor of Beaton, is at the Homeopathic hospital in this city in a serious condition as a result of being severely beaten over the head with a club near Henrietta yesterday afternoon. After being waylaid and robbed of his money and other valuables, and while unconscious, he was placed on the Lehigh Valley railroad tracks, where he was found by a crew of an extra train, which was stopped in time to save the man's life.

He was put aboard the engine and brought to this city and at the hospital it was found that he was suffering with a bad cut in the forehead, severe bruises, and a broken leg. The man tells a story of being set upon by footpads and severely beaten, and while unconscious placed on the tracks by his assailants. He is unable to give but a meagre description of the men who attacked him. Sheriff Craig has detailed a number of deputies on the case.

### HE WAS STABBED

MAN CALLED AT HOSPITAL FOR TREATMENT.

With a knife wound in his left side between the eighth and ninth ribs, James Cryan, aged about 35 years, walked into St. John's hospital Saturday forenoon and presented himself for examination. In addition to the knife wound his head was badly bruised and he said he had been attacked in Market street on Friday night and that they stabbed and trounced him. Cryan's wound, which was not a very dangerous one, was dressed and he went to his home in Middlesex street.

### Enthusiastic Meeting of Catholic Societies

The movement for a federation of the Catholic societies of Lowell received a big boost at a meeting for that purpose held yesterday in Hibernian hall, at which nearly all the Catholic societies in Lowell were represented. There were 65 delegates present and all were enthusiastically over the project.

The meeting for confederation grew out of steps taken toward the same end in March by the societies. Though no name was adopted for the organization yesterday, a committee was appointed to draw up a set of by-laws and a constitution and this committee will report at a meeting to be held in the near future.

James O'Sullivan, acting as temporary chairman, and the organizations represented were the five divisions of the A. O. H., the St. Andrew Temperance Institute, the Burke Temperance Institute, the C. Y. M. C., the Wolf Tons Club, and the Holy Name societies of St. Patrick's, the Immaculate Conception, the Sacred Heart, and St. Peter's churches. The Sheridan



JOSEPH FAHEY, President.

Guards, the Y. M. C. I. and the Holy Name of St. Michael's were not represented, but will come into the organization later in the season.

Joseph Fahey, the popular president of Division I of the A. O. H., was elected president of the new federation. Hubert McQuillan was elected vice president; Denis A. O'Brien of the M. T. L., secretary, and John P. Loney of the Burke Temperance Institute, treasurer. The plan for the federation was thoroughly discussed, but no definite action outside of the appointment of the committee by the officers was taken at the meeting. The convention adjourned about 1:30 o'clock.

Before adjournment Sec. O'Brien read the resolutions of thanks voted to Congressmen O'Connell and recently referred to in The Sun. The resolutions were adopted amid great applause and it was voted that the committee on resolutions, James O'Sullivan, James E. Miskella and John V. Donoghue, personally present the resolutions to the congressmen.

### SECRETLY WED

MILLIONAIRE SPRECKLES MARRIED TO FAMOUS BEAUTY.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Adolph Spreckles, bachelor, millionaire, yachtman and brother of fine horses, has been married to Miss Alma de Bretteville, famed for her beauty, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. de Bretteville, old residents of San Francisco.

The ceremony was secretly performed in Philadelphia last month at the home of Miss de Bretteville's aunt. The news has just been made public by friends who met the couple in New York prior to their sailing for Europe on a honeymoon which may take them to the farthest ends of the earth.

Alma de Bretteville started San Francisco late in 1901 by instituting a branch of premiere silk against Charles Anderson, a rival who came out of the Klondike laden with Alaskan gold. Anderson pictured himself as the one who would defeat the de Bretteville to the fortune, but the jury gave her the verdict of \$120,000.

### RED HOT FACTS

ABOUT A RED HOT KITCHEN AND THE POOR WOMAN MARTYR.

We are going to have some hot days this week and next week and next month. What the fate of the poor woman martyr who through the summer must look herself to death while cooking for others in her red hot kitchen over her red hottest fire, saying to herself the red hottest kind of things, knowing full well that her neighbor McQuillan is enjoying herself with her comfortable gas range, with her working the limit but as is the day out. Now, my dear woman, if you are not doing something, live longer than any day and take a look in at the Lowell Gas Light company's appliances store on John street. It is a cool place and will be comfortable and you will be happy. If you come Tuesday or Thursday at a p. m., you may hear Miss Webster say and do things in connection with the following premises: (Repeated by request.) Swedish Patent. Pointed Ring. Swedish Patent. Golden Red Sauce. Fruit Dressing. Cherry Punch.

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# 40th ANNIVERSARY

## Of the Branch Street Sunday School Observed

A special service commemorative of the 40th anniversary of the Sunday school was held at the branch street church yesterday. The sermon was preached by Rev. E. A. Whittier of Lawrence, who was the first pastor, and closely connected with the organization of the Sunday school. He said in part: "The Sunday school is the spiritual father of the Branch Street church. It was pre-eminently the Rev. W. E. Stanton, at that time the successful evangelistic pastor of the First Baptist church in this city; but now on account of severe throat trouble obliged to live in Florida. During the winter of 1867 and '68 as Brother Stanton thought of the four or five thousand people living above the Middlesex depot with no church or Sunday school in their midst, his heart was deeply moved. After much prayer, he presented the matter to the leading men of the First and Worthen Street Baptist churches, which led to the organization of the Branch Street mission with its board of managers and trustees, selected from each of the churches.

A lot of land on Branch street just above the Franklin school was leased for a few years, and the erection of the Branch Street chapel began at once. In March 1868, I was led providentially to visit Lowell over Sunday, not knowing anything at all about the Branch Street mission, until I reached the city. But I found that many who had known me through my supply of the First Baptist church during Pastor Stanton's August vacation, were very anxious to secure my services as missionary at the Branch Street chapel. In a few days there came to me the unanimous call of the board of managers, and of the two churches. 'The hand of the Lord was upon me,' and I accepted the call.

In May, 1868, the chapel was dedicated. The Rev. Dr. D. C. Eddy, then of Boston delivering the address. Pastors Morse and Stanton and others taking part. On Sunday, June 7, 1868, the Branch Street Sunday school was organized with 53 scholars, and 16 teachers—34 in all. Quite a number of French Catholic children came in at first, but in a few Sundays they disappeared. Deacon Franklin Cheney was our first superintendent, and Oscar R. Barclay our first clerk. They were the men for that hour, both wide-awake, earnest men.

Many members of the First and Worthen Street Baptist churches and some of other denominations in our midst, volunteered as teachers or helpers in other ways, and soon the school was well manned. The list would be long if we were to name them all. Many of these are in heaven today, while their places have risen up to fill with the young men in the gladness of this hour. It may be surely we cannot help thinking of them today, as we almost see 'the vanished hands.'

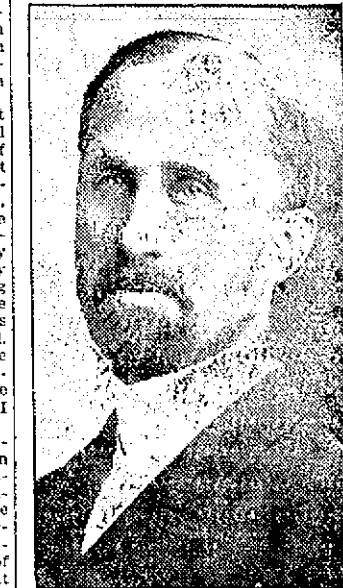
And what Sunday school concerts we had in those early days! With all the varied experiences of more than 35 years' evangelistic labors those concerts have left a lasting impress in my mind and heart.

Many bright, sunny children enlivened us with their songs and addresses. Some of these children went early to heaven, while others are active members of this, or of other churches on earth.

And how the school grew! I read in my Journal, that 153 were present one Sunday in August, about two months after the school was organized, and 154 soon after. And that, too, in August! But we must remember that the great summer exodus to the

country and seashore had only begun then, and also that there were no trolley lines to take the people to the parks and pleasure resorts. In December, six months after the school was organized, 153 were present one Sunday, and in March, 1869, there were 153 present at one session. In about a year from the organization the school applied for admission to the Merrimack River Baptist Sunday school convention, and was admitted.

Missionaries and pastors have been reared up in this church and Sunday school like the lamented daughter of Rev. O. E. Mallory, who served you as pastor for twenty years. His daughter readily laid down her life for the heathen. Others have gone forth to heathen lands, and others to missions in our home land. Like Rev. B. B.



REV. ASA REED DILTS, Pastor Branch Street Church.

Jacques and wife, who are greatly beloved up and down the Pacific coast for their work in the chapel car, and yet others, like Bro. McKillop, who is still doing good service as a pastor on the Pacific coast, the Rev. Dr. O. C. Wallace of this city, the Rev. Myron D. Fuller of B. L. Rev. T. S. Sayer of New Bedford, Rev. A. V. Dimmock of Dorchester, and others we could name. I have been able to trace out more than a dozen ministers who have been members of this church and school, aside from its pastor, the most of whom were converted here.

The noble band of superintendents who have served this school are: Dea. Franklin Cheney, Dea. George D. Hills, Dea. Charles H. Warren, Rev. C. A. Erdette, Rev. W. A. McKillop, Rev. W. F. Hills, Mr. D. A. Floyd, Rev. B. B. Jacques, Dea. James M. Butler, Dea. S. G. Stephens, ten in all, Dea. George D. Hills and his son, W. F. Hills, still one of the burden bearers in your midst; Rev. B. B. Jacques and Dea. S. G. Stephens had the longest terms of service of all the superintendents; but each in his term served Christ and the school well and deserves honorable mention.

And what shall be said of the noble band of teachers, who Sunday after Sunday during rain and shine, heat and cold, during all these 40 years have met their classes and taught them the word of God 'without money and without price.' God bless them all. But for them, no such stones could be placed at our Gilgal today as are being put there.

As a church and Sunday school new developments await you, as you enter upon your second 40 years. But he who so evidently led to the organization of this school, and who has led you all the way through light and shade, through joy and sorrow will lead you to larger usefulness. I believe the words which Jehovah spoke to his people at the Red Sea is his word to you today: 'Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward.'

By faith I can see you in a modern church edifice, with all the conveniences of a modern Sunday school room, with separate rooms for many of the classes— all of which can be thrown into one large room for the opening and closing exercises, or for the large meetings which occur in times of great revivals. And above all I can see a new baptism of the Holy Spirit coming upon you as with falling prayer and earnest consecration, you build the new church edifice and enter it after a few months' wandering in the wilderness. Take heart, dear brethren and sisters, and my beloved Brother Dilts, and you who stand today as officers and teachers in this Sunday school, as you see anew how signally God has led you by the pillar of cloud and of fire all these years.

May the glory of this latter temple far exceed the glory of the former and when a few of those who are here today shall gather with your children and grandchildren at the end of another 40 years, if Jesus tarry until then, may you be rejoiced to relate in many more trophies of God's grace than we do now, as the question arises again: 'What mean these stones?'

### SILVER WEDDING

OBSERVED BY MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH T. THOMAS.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Thomas observed the 25th anniversary of their marriage at their home, 75 Central street, Saturday night. Friends were present from Lawrence and Springfield and the party was a very pretty and a very pleasant one. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas were the recipients of many beautiful presents. Refreshments were served during the evening, and the following ones assisted Mrs. Thomas in serving them: Mrs. Hannah Graham, Mrs. Nora Shattuck, Mrs. Ellen O'Brien, Miss Bessie Thomas, John Ryan of Lawrence, Miss Molly Burns of Lawrence, and Miss Marietta Moran. There were songs during the evening by Miss Moran and John Thomas, and piano selections were given by Miss Bessie Thomas.

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## KILLED DOCTOR

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FOR NEARLY NINE HOURS, Sarah Konet, a young Russian trained nurse, shot and killed Dr. William Auspitz, a physician, in the vestibule of an apartment house on West 135th street, last night. The woman surrendered to the police, declaring that she shot the physician because he had wronged her.

Dr. Auspitz was married and conducted a sanitarium on East 93d street. According to the police, Miss Konet was formerly employed by Dr. Auspitz as a nurse. All day long, the police say, the young woman waited on the stoop until last night when Dr. Auspitz drove up in his carriage.

The physician, not recognizing his former nurse, called past her and entered the vestibule. Miss Konet followed him and closed the glass-front door, and seemed to ignore the crowd which had gathered. Witnesses told the police that the nurse walked down the stoop, then retraced her steps and sent a bullet through the doctor's heart.

The nurse returned to the stoop and sat down. She did not get up the

revolver until the police arrived. When taken into custody she made a statement to Assistant District Attorney Du Vivier and Coroner Harburger, declaring that she shot the physician.

## FRANK MALOREY

NO. CHELMSFORD MAN RECEIVES BIG CONTRACT.

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# UNDEVELOPED NATIONAL WEALTH A MYTH

## According to Expert Opinion, America's Natural Treasures Are Threatened With Extinction.

THE recent conference held in the east room of the White House to discuss the threatened extinction of America's natural resources and to suggest means to remedy the impending disaster was in a sense the most notable gathering of modern times. Although the meeting was brought about by President Roosevelt's initiative and those in attendance were practically the guests of the White House, it was in no sense a partisan affair. Representatives of all ways of thinking were among those invited, and there was no attempt to confine the discussion to any fixed programme. It was perfectly natural under the circumstances for the president to dominate the situation, and he did. Before they left Washington, however, the governors held a final conference at which Mr. Roosevelt was not present and organized regularly. They authorized Governors Swanson of Virginia and Willson of Kentucky to name a committee of five or seven governors who are to arrange a time and place for a meeting next year and prepare a programme. The meeting will probably be held in some city of the middle west—perhaps in Chicago or St. Louis—and will be in session for ten days or two weeks.

That many of the natural resources of this country are disappearing rapidly is but too true, unfortunately, and it is as alarming as it is true. It comes like a rude awakening from our assumption that our natural wealth was illimitable to be told that the prodigal waste which has been going on for so many years has so limited our development of nature's gifts we cannot hope for any future result from them. Our orators and statesmen have never ceased to enlarge in glowing terms on our boundless supplies of timber, minerals and other materials waiting to be converted into legal tender. It is far from agreeable to learn that the end of many of our national resources is even now within sight.

This idea that there is no limit to the nation's resources is so firmly entrenched in the American mind that the danger in which we stand is not appreciated. It is an actual fact that the present generation may see the decline and final extinguishment of some of the nation's chief industries. In the matter of the timber supply our fears have been awakened by the recent agitation for the preservation of certain forests as government reservations. Once so prolific a growth that it gave rise to the popular conviction that it would last for centuries, timber has been reduced to such a scanty supply that before many years it will be as rare as it is in Europe. There is no better living authority on this matter than the present government forester, Gifford Pinchot, who has returned only recently from an official tour of inspection over 5,000 miles and is convinced that at the present rate of consumption our timber supply will be exhausted in twenty years.

Mr. Pinchot does not predict that after twenty years our timber supply

will cease abruptly. He points out that the timber famine which would be certain to arrive in two decades unless something were done to postpone it will be warded off for a period of five years longer by the growth which will occur during that time. Divested of all sentiment and utilitarian light, the wiping out of our great forests is a national tragedy. In contemplating it we are not able to console ourselves with the thought that we had no part in our own undoing; that it was nature and its unyielding processes which have brought about the inevitable result. As a fact, nature has not been consulted in the matter and has had absolutely nothing to do with it. If the processes of nature had not been interfered with we should not be confronted by a timber famine.

As recently as fifty years ago this country was provided liberally with fine forests. Had they been treated properly the supply of timber would have been sufficient for hundreds of years. Instead of cutting only the mature trees and taking some care not to injure the saplings the spoliators went on recklessly without a thought of the future or those coming after them. Influenced entirely by selfishness, they

had only one motive—gain. It was a despicable and shortsighted policy destined to produce the most disastrous results. Looking back on the methods employed by those who waged their wars of extermination against the primeval forests, one can but marvel at the savagery which characterized it all. It was a custom in many parts of the country to select and cut down the finest trees and then put the torch to the whole area. In this barbarous fashion millions of young trees which if left to grow would have been farmed by this time were utterly destroyed.

As the result of such tactless and destructive methods the great American forests have been reduced to a pitiful showing. About fifteen years ago the timber supply in the north and east and even in the states bordered by the great lakes diminished and gradually gave out. The last great remaining extensive forest region left for private spoliation was the southern Appalachian woodland. Here the process of true annihilation was continued until the government intervened, a tardy protest and took definite measures to put a stop to the soulless waste. Much damage has already been

done to this last remaining stronghold of nature in eastern America, as is thus set forth in a recent government report: "The harm done is very great in proportion to the quantity of lumber cut. This is due largely to the size of the trees and the fact that little care is taken in the felling. The damage done to young growth is increased by the absence of snow and by the fact that

trees are often cut when they are in full leaf. "Under such methods, in which there is not only an absolute lack of provision for a future crop, but often a marked absence of that foresight, skill and aversion to waste which go to make clean lumbering, most of the logged over areas in the southern Appalachians are only saved from entire destruction of the standing trees by



## The End of Many of Our Boasted National Resources Is Now Within Plain Sight.

from these denuded mountain sides in a single year's heavy rain than during centuries under forest cover. President Roosevelt estimates that the damage done by this washing down process amounts to at least \$10,000,000 annually.

At the conference Andrew Carnegie made an earnest and rather pathetic plea for the metals. He produced figures to establish the fact that the great coal, iron and copper deposits which were formerly regarded as inexhaustible may be worked out within the lives of many persons now living. Unless new fields of anthracite coal are discovered this most satisfactory of fuels will disappear in less than fifty years. Of hard coal it is estimated that there are considerably less than 3,000,000,000 tons in the earth available. Unless the present lavish methods of mining are abandoned this will last only about half a century.

It is also settled by the geologists that the supply of petroleum in its natural storage places is fixed and that every barrel that is removed decreases the stock in reserve. This fact makes it only a matter of a few years until this wonderful product will cease to be such a factor in the history of monopoly.

Quicksilver deposits, too, are becoming worked out. More of this valuable metal was produced forty years ago than is now extracted from its ores. In 1870 the yield was 30,000 flasks, and at present it is only 28,000 flasks. The comparatively new Almaden mines in California, which were reputed to be inexhaustible, are rapidly becoming less productive, and that is the history of every quicksilver mine in the United States.

Mr. Roosevelt called attention to the fact that the natural resources of the nation must be considered under two sharply distinguished classes—those which may be renewed and those which cannot be reproduced. To the first division belong the forests, which may be restored in a measure for the benefit of coming generations. The soil also may be brought back almost to its original fertility, and the extension of irrigating methods will in time offset part of the damage done to the soil by the destruction of the forests. But minerals cannot and do not renew themselves. In dealing with the iron, coal, gas and petroleum problems all that can be done is to bring about a reform in the wasteful use of these valuable products.

It is the opinion of Mr. Carnegie that the nation must find means to meet the demands on iron as soon as possible. One of the immediate remedies which suggest themselves is the substitution of water carriage for rail to as large an extent as is possible. Moving 1,000 tons of freight by rail requires nearly as many tons of iron and steel, while by water only 250 tons of metal are employed. It is estimated that the substitution of water for rail carriage would reduce the consumption of iron by at least three-fourths.

CARL E. EBBITS.

## Dr. Cook's Long Silence In the Arctic

WHEN an adventurous explorer sails bravely away into the perilous region dominated by what is known as the north pole there follow a long silence and, as far as the public is concerned, apparent forgetfulness. That is because the practice of searching for the pole has become so common that it now excites but a tithe of the interest which was formerly attached to it. The time has arrived when pole hunters go and come—some of them without especial comment. It is only when the subject of a relief expedition is bruited that they are remembered and public interest in them is revived.

It has been thus in the case of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, one of the most fearless and intelligent men born with an ambition to plant his feet on spots of Mother Earth never before attained by his fellow man. With the renown of being the pioneer to ascend to the summit of Mount McKinley still fresh in the memories of scientific men, Dr. Cook burned with an ambition to join the ranks of those who were engaged in the almost competitive scramble for the north pole. The intrepid surgeon has been in the north for about a year and not a word has come from him. Not one of the Scandinavian sealers and whalers who have returned has brought any word from him, and fears for his safety are now so prevalent as to warrant the immediate organization of a relief expedition.

In the spring of last year an opportunity came to Dr. Cook to put his ardently cherished desire into execution. John R. Bradley, a wealthy New York Nimrod who has done considerable exploration in the far north on his own private account, fitted up a Gloucester fishing schooner and with his wife and Dr. Cook boarded the staunch little vessel at North Sydney, N. S., and sailed to Labrador and Greenland.

The millionaire skipper returned with his vessel in October of last year, but Dr. Cook was not with him. It was then and not until then that Mr. Bradley made the announcement that affairs had been going on in accordance with a regularly outlined plan and that from the first it had been the intention of Dr. Cook to leave the party at Etah and thence make his way to the pole whenever the opportunity should seem to be most promising. The following is Mr. Bradley's very interesting account of the matter from its beginning:

"Regarding the manner in which the Bradley arctic expedition took shape, I have for years desired to make a trip to the north to hunt polar bear and walrus. I often talked about such a trip with Dr. Cook, who, of course, had

much previous arctic experience. Dr. Cook expressed a desire to go with me to the arctic, so after getting back from north Mongolia I took up the matter last winter of an arctic trip with Dr. Cook, and we began to formulate plans. I finally decided to buy a vessel and outfit it and to start in the early summer. We decided that an auxiliary schooner with a gasoline engine would suit our purpose best. I therefore bought a 111 ton Gloucester fishing schooner and had her sheathed with three inches of white oak above and below her water line and steel plates fore and aft, so as to stand the strain of the ice. New rigging, new sails and a gasoline engine were added; in fact, the ship, which was rechristened the John R. Bradley, was refitted in every way to make it comfortable. I obtained the services of Captain Moses Bartlett, who was first officer of the Roosevelt, Peary's ship, and engaged a Newfoundland crew. Also I had a twenty-seven foot whaleboat built, with a ten horsepower engine, which could hold four men, this to be used in the hunt for big game. This boat weighs less than a thousand pounds and can be dragged over the ice on runners when necessary to avoid being nipped by the ice pans—a constant danger. In case we should become fast bound in the ice we took sufficient provisions for thirteen men for two years.

"While talking over our plans Dr. Cook said to me one day, 'Wouldn't you like to make a try for the pole?' I said I didn't know much about that sort of thing and didn't know whether I would care to stay through the long arctic night, but I said in any event I would outfit the vessel with everything necessary for a polar expedition and that if we found food conditions satisfactory when we got as far as Smith sound the doctor anyway could stay through the winter and make a dash for the pole.

"Therefore the vessel sailed with everything necessary for a polar expedition and dash for the pole. We sailed from Gloucester to Battle Harbor, Labrador; then across Davis strait to the South Greenland coast. We first encountered ice south of Sisco and had the propeller disabled by striking the ice, so we put in at Sisco, beached the ship and soon repaired the damage and proceeded on our way north. I was anxious to try for polar bear in Melville bay. I gave Captain Bartlett orders to get into the ice of the bay as soon as possible, so as to get some shooting.

"When in the ice we saw many bear, but found it almost impossible to get them without the use of native dogs,

with which the Eskimos hunt for bear. For the bear were usually on large pans of ice miles square and would take to the water and get away. We therefore decided to cross Melville bay and make

Cape York, where we were sure of finding natives with dogs. We had a hard time, for we were nipped twice by the ice and had to cut our way out. Finally, after seven days of hard work, we reached Cape York, but found it impossible to land a boat on account of storms and ice. So we decided to go farther north in search of dogs and

Finally, after seven days of hard work, finally reached North Star bay. Here



DR. FREDERICK A. COOK, DARING POLE HUNTER.

we anchored, and I fired a gun to attract the natives if any were about. "Soon we saw two natives coming out in their little kayaks, and in half an hour we had thirty-five Eskimos—men, women and children—aboard the ship, the entire inhabitants of the settlement. I spent three days shooting walrus, which I found good sport. The natives were all healthy and had plenty of food.

"We sailed from North Star bay to McCormick bay, Bowdoin bay and Robinson bay and had good shooting all the way; also we came across more natives, all in good condition. Finally we reached Etah, Peary's former winter quarters. Here we enjoyed a view from the high hills of Smith sound. There was no great amount of ice in the sound, so Dr. Cook, the first mate and myself took the motor boat and went north through Smith sound to 79 degrees north latitude. There are the farthestmost settlements of the Eskimos, and we spent several days among the natives, many of whom remembered Dr. Cook and greeted him heartily. Dr. Cook speaks the Eskimo language and so was able to converse with his old time friends. We brought the greater part of this settlement back to Etah with us.

"Conditions looked so favorable for a dash for the pole later on that we decided at Etah to land the expedition at 79 degrees north latitude. We found we could get all the dogs we wanted and all the natives that Dr. Cook wished to have with him. As the natives had already cached their winter supply of food I helped them to kill walrus, seals, white whales and narwhals to augment the supply. The Eskimo women kept busy catching arctic hare and birds to make their winter clothing.

"Dr. Cook concluded to stay and make a dash for the pole as soon as feasible after the long dark night begins to break. We then took most of the natives from Etah and the others that we had brought to Etah and transferred them all to 79 degrees north latitude, where Dr. Cook had decided to make his winter quarters. When we reached this latitude we found the conditions changed from those we had experienced in the motor boat some days before; there was much ice, and we had great difficulty in landing the provisions, which we towed in dray loads and strewn the boxes along the coast. These Dr. Cook will gather together.

"Dr. Cook has now about fifty Eskimo—men, women and children—and some 150 dogs in his winter quarters. I thought it better that a white man,

should remain with Dr. Cook, so a call for volunteers was made, and Rudolph Franco, a young German, was selected. He is a strong man and an enthusiastic would be arctic explorer. Dr. Cook was left with ample provisions for three years and with everything else in the way of tools, sleds and other necessities for the explorer. During the winter Dr. Cook will get everything in readiness, and about Feb. 1 he will cross the ice of Smith sound and take a northwesterly course through Ellesmereland and try to strike the polar sea at 80 degrees north latitude. He will travel as lightly as possible and then make his dash for the pole."

Etah, the point at which Dr. Cook and Mr. Bradley parted company, is about 650 miles from the pole. As soon as Cook's plan for reaching the pole was made public about every one who knows anything definite concerning arctic exploration was of the opinion that his scheme was not promising. Those who are acquainted with Dr. Cook believe that he would not have attempted anything which he had regarded as impracticable. He is a man of a singularly practical turn of mind and has never shown himself to be at all visionary in his projects.

Besides, Dr. Cook is a veteran in arctic exploration. He has spent several summers and at least three winters in the far north and was a member of Peary's most important expedition. His experience in the Belgian antarctic exploration party made him wise as to polar matters, and his subsequent sojourn in the Alaskan mountain regions proved him to be endowed with an endurance unequalled by any living explorer. In view of his splendid achievements the public has more faith in him than in the widely exploited and vociferous gentlemen who would fly to the pole and back again in an incredibly short time. Those who believe that the boat, the sleds and the legs are the arctic traveler's only sure means of locomotion are ready to put their faith in the brave man who has accomplished much and talked modestly.

Those who have been Dr. Cook's companions on any of his previous journeys into the arctic are not disheartened at his protracted silence. They are reminded by it that it is his custom to speak only when he has something to say that is worth while. That he did not take the public into his confidence until his scheme was well under way is proof of his absolute good faith in undertaking the decidedly strenuous business of discovering the north pole. RUSSELL HASTINGS.

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## NIGHT EDITION

## LAWRENCE WOMAN

## Charged With Attempting to Poison Husband and Stepsons

LAWRENCE, June 8.—Charged with attempting to kill her husband and two stepsons by administering poison to them, Mrs. Mary Haykel was arrested by the police yesterday. She was released in \$2000 bail for arraignment Monday.

Great mystery surrounds the case involving such a sensational charge. The husband, John Haykel, and the two sons, Nicholas and Haykel J. Haykel, are but shadows of what they were physically in April, and all have been in hospitals. The father is still ill.

Absolute refusal by the police to give out details adds to the mystery. The officers admit that Mrs. Haykel, who was a Mary Abraham Abdallah until November, when she was married, was arrested as the result of a report made by the physicians who attended the sick husband and his sons.

If the arresting officers had knowledge from physicians that a poison had been used by Mrs. Haykel in the alleged attempt to kill her husband and his sons, they refuse to declare what drug was used.

Mr. Haykel keeps a store at Amesbury

and Valley streets. The family is Syrian. After the marriage, Mrs. Haykel lived apparently on the best of terms with her husband and step sons. This continued until April 4 and since that time the father and his sons have been ill, their symptoms being similar and puzzling to their physicians.

According to Thomas Haykel formerly of Boston, who was called here to take charge of his brother's business when the latter fell ill, John Haykel and his sons were all stricken on the same day, April 4, or the day following.

A reporter Thomas Haykel said that his brother and his nephews were served scrambled eggs for breakfast about that time in April and that the sons ate little of the dish as the taste seemed strange to them. Their father, however, ate all that was left.

John Haykel, the brother said, was soon seized with violent pains, fell to the floor and was alarmingly ill. Later in the day, the brother said, one of the boys was taken ill in a manner similar to that of the father and soon afterward the other boy became sick.

John Haykel was taken to the Lawrence General hospital, Haykel was taken to the Massachusetts General, and Nicholas, who is but ten years of age, was gravely ill for three weeks.

## BEEF IS HIGHER

The retail price of the better grades of beef are on the ascendancy and the price of sirloin and rump steak are booked for the 35 cents a pound mark. Local retail dealers said that the Sun today that they could not afford to sell the best meat less than 33 or 35 cents and they also alleged that the supply of beef on hand in Lowell today is unusually small.

The advance is due to the increased price that the retail dealers are obliged to pay the wholesalers who have put their prices up 50 cents per hundred weight. The scarcity of cattle is said to be the reason for the advance.

The wholesale price is now 12 cents a hundred and that means 12 cents for every pound there is in the animal, bones, tallow and all. The retailers claim that at that price, they cannot afford to sell the best steaks less than 33 or 35 cents a pound.

There is a bare possibility that some of the dealers will probably not change their prices as they figure it will be better business policy to hold their trade at a lessened profit than to lose it because of an advance which may after all be but temporary.

## JAIL SENTENCE

The criminal session of the superior court opened at Cambridge this morning, Judge Aiken presiding, and several Lowell cases were disposed of.

George Pappas, who was charged with breaking and entering the store of Parthena Brothers and larceny therefrom, was sentenced to nine months in the Lowell jail.

Mary Whiteley, who on April 14th was sentenced to Sherborn on a charge of drunkenness and who has been in jail since that time, was called for trial and after the case was heard the court carried out the sentence of the lower court ordered.

Lizzie Guthrie who on April 21 was

sentenced to Sherborn on a fornication charge made a pitiful appeal to the court and her sentence was changed to two months in jail.

Lizzie Lannon on April 25 was sentenced to five months in jail for drunkenness. Inasmuch as she has spent nearly two months in jail Judge Aiken imposed a sentence of three months in jail.

Agnes Greenwood, drunkenness, was placed on probation.

Bridget E. Dolan, drunkenness, was also placed on probation.

Jennie Wilston and Lawrence Cummings were charged with adultery, but were placed in the hands of the probation officer.

## HENRY HOPKINS AUTO WAS BURNED

Henry Hopkins was arraigned in police court this morning on two counts of larceny from Henry J. O'Dowd. One count alleged that on the night of March current, Hopkins stole a harness valued at \$20 and a blanket valued at \$3. The second count alleged that he stole a carriage pole valued at \$10 and a harness valued at \$5. Daniel J. Donahue appeared for the defendant and John J. Harvey for the government.

After a consultation of counsel a settlement was made.

Hopkins was about to leave the court room after the settlement of the case when Lillian O'Dowd placed him under arrest as a fugitive from justice. It is alleged that Hopkins assaulted a man in Keene, N. H., some time ago. The Keene police were notified and this afternoon Hopkins was taken to Keene.

## A DARING PLOT

LISBON, June 8.—The police have frustrated a big plot hatched by the society of the Black Cross to blow up with bombs the members of the royal family at a religious feast which is to be held on June 15. Among the ring-leaders arrested are Jose Avila, Adolfo Durie and Constantine Mendez, three notorious anarchists. The bombs which had been manufactured by the society were confiscated and correspondence seized shows that the society, to which Manuel Buisa, one of the principals in the assassination of King Carlos and Crown Prince Louis elast February, belonged had close relations with anarchists in Barcelona and Madrid.

An automobile, the property of Dr. Martin, was burned in Princeton street this afternoon. The automobile fire was responsible for the alarm from box 155 at about 12.20 o'clock. It was a Stanley runabout and the fire was supposed to have been due to the leakage of gasoline. Dr. Martin's chauffeur was alone in the machine when the fire which destroyed it occurred.

## THE DELEGATES

WILL START FOR REPUBLICAN CONVENTION SATURDAY.

The Massachusetts delegates to the republican national convention at Chicago will leave Boston Saturday, Messrs. A. G. Walsh and James O'Sullivan of this city will be in the party.

## POLICE BOARD

TO ACT ON MERRIMACK HOUSE LICENSE.

The regular meeting of the police board will be held tomorrow night and action will be taken on the Merrimack House license.

## GOVERNOR GUILD

NAHANT, June 8.—Gov. Guild will go to Washington this evening, leaving Boston at 5 p. m., accompanied by his nurse. The object of the trip is personal, but he expects to see President Roosevelt.

## SUPERIOR COURT

Russell vs. Parker Case

Still on

COURT EXPECTED TO CLOSE TODAY

But Another Session Will be Necessary

Judge King, Clerk Smith and the clerks of court officers, without whom there can be no session of the superior court, came in this morning on the tenth week of the session daily grateful for the supposed fact that by evening the session would be at an end and they would once more be assigned to the more neighboring environs of East Cambridge. But the best laid schemes of nice and court officials oft gang aglee and when court opened the case of Moise Russell vs. Walter Parker which has been going along for a couple of days was still on. It was up to the defense today and Lawyer Dunbar, counsel for the defense whispered to Clerk Smith that the defense would take only an hour and a half. But the hour and a half saw the first witness still on the stand cross-examined by Lawyer Bent for the plaintiff, and the indications at noon were that the case would take all day. Two more small cases remained untended and then court adjourned after the busiest session in local court history.

## REV. FR. GASSON

Will Address Normal School Graduates

The annual commencement exercises of the Lowell normal school will take place on June 23 and the speaker of the occasion will be Rev. Thomas J. Gasson, S. J. of Boston college.

## HOUSES WRECKED

BY EXPLOSION OF TWO TONS OF POWDER.

NEWCASTLE, Pa., June 8.—Two persons were seriously injured, a fireworks plant and two dwelling houses wrecked and several other houses badly damaged last night when a fire of unknown origin at Centlux fireworks plant here caused two tons of powder to explode.

## ROGER CONNORS

NOTED LOWELL GLOBE TROTTER RETURNS HOME.

John "Roger" Connors, the former pride of the "Acres" district and champion pitcher for the famous old C. I. Hood baseball team, who disappeared from Lowell March 22, 1898, has returned to Lowell after making a tour of the world from the frozen north to the burning south and is renewing old acquaintances. While passing along Central street today "Roger" was kept busy shaking hands with old friends. The Sun recently printed a story of "Roger's" travels.

## CITY HALL DOORS

ARE IN A VERY DILAPIDATED CONDITION.

The oak doors to the front entrance to city hall are in a state of dilapidation and are a disgrace to the department that has charge of them. If they had been attended to when they first showed signs of dilapidation the cost of repairing would have been less, but they have been allowed to go so far that a portion of them will have to be rebuilt.

The moulding and panelings are weather beaten, split, and present evidence of gross carelessness and neglect. The doors will be a total wreck unless something to improve their condition is done at once.

## TAX RETURNS

IN PERSONAL PROPERTY SHOULD HAVE BEEN MADE JUNE 1.

Despite the fact that it has been stated several times in The Sun that the personal tax returns were to have been made to the assessors, this year, on or before June 1, instead of June 15 as has been the case in other years, the notice seems to have escaped the public's reading eye as a great many did not make their returns as early as June 1. The assessors, however, will probably be considerate enough to hold their books open for returns for the accommodation of those who failed to note the change in time.

## HAD TO ADJOURN

BECAUSE PARTITION WAS IN DANGEROUS CONDITION.

CHICAGO, June 8.—The republican national committee has been compelled to adjourn because of a partition in their room being in a dangerous condition.

Winchester Boiler

Telephone numbers, 372 and 373.

## ALBERT W. DAVID

## Nominated Once More for the Board of Health

This forenoon Mayor Farnham sent again to the board of aldermen the name of Albert W. David for the board of health.

A special meeting of the board of aldermen has been called for Wednesday evening and the appointment of Mr. David will come up for confirmation at that meeting.

The reappointment of Mr. David comes as somewhat of a surprise in view of the fact that Mayor Farnham told friends of Dr. Jones that he would send that doctor's name to the board of aldermen. He said positively that he would not send the name of David to the board again.

And Mr. David came out in an interview and said that he was all through and was willing to be counted out of the running. Mr. David also made a somewhat significant statement about what he had learned of the modus operandi of affairs at city hall and indicated that later on such information as he had collected might be of very great interest to the citizens and taxpayers of the city.

It was suggested today that his in-

terview as it appeared in print might have had something to do with his reappointment by the mayor.

## SIGNED BY MAYOR.

Mayor Farnham has signed the \$1000 joint order for repairs and improvements at the Dracut rifle range as suggested by the state authorities and the local militia.

## TEST OF PUMP.

The official test of the new Holly pump at the reservoir will be held tomorrow.

## STREET COMMITTEE.

The committee on streets, after making a tour of places mentioned in petitions before them for consideration, will meet this evening at 7.30. The business of the meeting will be of a routine nature.

## ALDERMEN TO MEET.

The common council will meet in regular session tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock and there will be a special meeting of the board of aldermen Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

## KILLED HIMSELF

## Man Was to Be Arrested for Shooting His Wife

BOSTON, June 8.—When a squad of police went to a tenement house in the North End to arrest Antoni Pinotti on the charge of shooting his wife, Theresa Pinotti, he shot and killed himself. The woman who is 35 years of age and who was wounded in the side, is at the relief hospital in a critical condition.

The trouble in the Pinotti family grew out of the stabbing of Francisco Mondello at the home of Angelo Chiaravolotti, 35 Clark street, yesterday. Chiaravolotti's wife and five other Italians are being held in connection with that affair and the police are

searching for Chiaravolotti. This morning Pinotti and his wife, the neighbors say, were quarrelling in their home over yesterday's stabbing. Just as several other tenants of the house rushed into Pinotti's room on the fourth floor, Pinotti aimed a revolver at his wife. Four shots were fired and Mrs. Pinotti fell to the floor.

Some one rushed to station 1 nearby and Sergeant Gallivan with Officers O'Connell and French hurried to the scene of the shooting. They had gained the third floor when two shots were heard on the floor above. Pinotti had fired two bullets into his own head and death was instantaneous.

Some fifty women residents of the Italian quarter were brought into station one and detained as witnesses.

## STAND BY COYLE WANT FAIR PLAY

Lowell Railroad Employees Take Action

Officers of Lowell division 74 and Nashua division 59 of the brotherhood of railroad employees last night went to Boston and presented the officers of the B. & M. system division board of adjustment of the brotherhood with copies of resolutions which those divisions had adopted at meetings held yesterday.

The resolutions were practically the same in expression. It is said that other divisions on the B. & M. system intend to stand by the board elected by them and the officers of the board elected by the board delegates.

The resolution of the Lowell division reads in part: "We learn with surprise and astonishment the arbitrary action of 'R. P. Nell' in suspending General Chairman P. J. Coyle of the system board of adjustment and arbitration, and declaring the meeting of said board held May 31 at Boston illegal."

"Resolved, That we ignore such action on the part of 'R. P. Nell' and we still recognize P. J. Coyle as the general chairman of the B. & M. system board of adjustment and arbitration, and further place our implicit confidence in his ability and honesty."

## THREE KILLED

BANDITS MADE ATTACK ON A PAY TRAIN.

MEXICO CITY, June 8.—Word came last night that bandits attacked a pay train on the way to Las Grandes mines near Balsas in the state of Guerrero. Of the escort of four men three were killed and one was wounded. Four thousand dollars was stolen. Rural guards are in pursuit of the highway-men.

The mines belongs to an American company.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Negros Protest Against Republican's Actions

CHICAGO, June 8.—Negro politicians of the republican party are circulating petitions among the members of their race, protesting against the decisions of the national republican committee by which negro claimants from several southern states were denied seats in the republican national convention. Last night meetings were held in every negro church in Chicago, denunciatory speeches were made and resolutions were adopted demanding constitutional rights for negroes.

Dr. W. A. Clark of Philadelphia, president of the Constitutional league is included in the movement, also Guertley Brewer of Indiana and Gilchrist Stuart of New York. They reported last night that nearly five thousand signatures have been procured to a petition for fair play that will be presented to the national committee.

## SANTOS INSANE

BOY TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL AT TAUNTON.

DEDHAM, June 8.—A request to the Taunton police for a warrant to arrest Henry Santos, 14-year-old boy, was granted today when the boy was pronounced partly insane and suffering from delusions by doctors who ordered his removal to the hospital for the insane at Taunton.

Santos told the police that he murdered Louise Staula of Dedham, Jas. and Frank Merano of Brooklyn, N. Y., his two cousins and Grace Rollins of Boston. The police questioned the boy closely and today Dr. John W. Pratt and Andrew H. Hodgdon, examined the lad and found that he was suffering from delusions.

## EXTRA

## MILLS KEPT BUSY

## Rush Orders are Coming In Very Fast

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 8.—Indications that the supply of cotton stocks in the hands of jobbers and retailers has been depleted to a very small amount since the beginning of the industrial depression some six months ago which caused an extensive curtailment in the textile industry of the country, are found by mill men of Rhode Island in the large number of orders which is now coming in. Most of the orders are rush calls, providing for delivery in the shortest time possible and many of the mills throughout the state have been forced to operate their establishments all night in addition to employing the full complement of their plants during the day. The surplus product of most of the cotton factories in the Pawtucket valley has already been disposed of in their efforts

to keep up with the large influx of orders and it is estimated that for the past several weeks some of the factories have been shopping three or four times as much as their normal production.

## TO SELL FACTORY.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., June 8.—In connection with proposition to sell the eleven factories operated by the Hardware and Woodware Co. of New York which was placed in the hands of a receiver several months ago, the stockholders of the S. A. Smith factory of this place, one of the company's plants have voted to sell the factory for \$55,000, an offer of that amount having been made.

A hearing on the petition of a partition to sell the eleven factories which are located throughout New England, New York state and the west will be held here tomorrow before U. S. District Judge James Martin.

## FREIGHT RATES RAILROAD MEN

Butter Makers to Enter a Protest

Say Pay Will Not Be Decreased

BECAUSE OF PROPOSED ADVANCE

AN INCREASE IN FREIGHT RATES

Threaten Butter Famine if They Fail

Would Mean Stagnation in Freight Movement

CHICAGO, June 8.—Sixteen of the largest manufacturers of butter in the United States will open their fight against the proposed advance of freight rates on cream and milk before the inter-state commerce commission next Wednesday. The average increase in tariff is 6 2-3 to 15 percent. A butter famine is promised should their fight fail.

Commissioners Preuty and Harlan will hear the testimony and arguments.

The railroads will contest the claims of the butter makers, declaring that the new schedule is only fair.

The manufacturers represent plants worth \$10,000,000. They annually put out 15,000,000 pounds of butter, more than one quarter of the total production of the United States; pay the farmers of the Mississippi valley states \$50,000,000 a year for cream and expend more than \$1,500,000 a year on railroad freight rates.

In their appeal several months ago these butter makers invoked the aid of the court to restrain the common carriers from putting into effect a new schedule of tariffs that it was asserted would be excessive, unjust and almost confiscatory and the restraining order, the first of its kind ever issued by a federal court, has served as a staying order ever since.

Should the butter manufacturers fail in their recourse to the inter-state commerce commission to prevent the establishment of the new tariffs they say they see to alternative other than to stop business. The margin of profit, they say, is less than one-half a cent per pound net. A disturbance of the rates that have been in effect for fifteen years it is alleged not only would imperil the millions invested in creamery plants and cream receiving stations in Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa, Illinois, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Indiana and other states but would cause an actual loss to them of more than \$1,000,000 annually.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—No general increase in freight rates is likely to be made by the railroads of the country if it be made at all. Certainly nothing will be done by next autumn, and it is unlikely now that anything approximating a general increase will be attempted then.

At a recent meeting of presidents and operating officials of important railroads held in New York it was the consensus of opinion that it would be undesirable if not absolutely impracticable to put into effect at this time an increase of freight rates. Opinion at the meeting was divided but the majority inclined to the view that it would be bad policy and bad business at this juncture to attempt an increase of rates.

It was pointed out that the proposed increase in a time of depression would tend rather to increase freight stagnation than to stimulate freight movement. Such a result would be of only additional disadvantage to the carriers, the opinion being general that it would not induce increased revenues.

Most of the officials who attended the meeting indicated a belief that railway business conditions were improving.

The judgment expressed was that if business conditions did not continue to show improvement it would be necessary for the railroads to adopt some method of protecting the interests of their stockholders. Only two methods were suggested.

An increase of freight rates and a decrease in wages of employees. It is quite certain that neither will be resorted to before the first of next October and important officials believe it will not be necessary even then to resort to either of the methods.

Of course when it comes the increase of rates is made it will be very carefully considered by the inter-state commerce commission, perhaps on its own initiative without waiting for a formal complaint from shippers.

## YACHT DERVISH KASBERG IS DEAD

Was the Winner in Class B

The Victim of Practical Jokers

HAMILTON, Bermuda, June 8.—The schooner yacht Dervish, owned by Commander Henry Moss of the Corinthian Yacht club, has won the ocean race from Marblehead to Hamilton in class B. She finished at 12 o'clock this morning. None of the competitors in her class was in sight at daylight.

PITTSBURGH, June 8.—A victim of practical jokes, Morris Kasberg, 32 years of age, died today at a hospital. He had been employed at the Duquesne steel works and on May 29 it is alleged, fellow workmen inflicted his body by compressing of the computers in her class was in sight at daylight. An investigation is being made.



# 6 O'CLOCK DOCK CROWDED

## Monday a Busy Day in the Police Court

Mary A. Derious, who attempted to commit suicide last week by jumping into the Pawtucket canal, and who would have been drowned but for the timely assistance of Patrolman Frank Fox, was in police court this morning and pleaded guilty of being a stubborn child. After the girl had been taken out of the canal she gave the name of Arpin, but it was afterwards learned that that was not her right name.

She was very penitent this morning and signified her willingness to return to her home if allowed to do so and said she had no idea of committing suicide, but being frightened at the approach of the police officer got nervous and did not know what she was doing.

The girl's mother informed the court that her first husband having been dead for some time she had married again. She said the girl would not mind her and would not work. She doesn't stop at home, having been away for the past seven or eight weeks.

The girl when questioned by the court promised to do better and said she now realized that there was no love like that of a mother and if her mother and step-father were willing she would return and try to do better. She then explained that it was in a fright that she threw herself into the canal.

The court placed her in the hands of the probation officer.

### LARCENY CHARGE

Benjamin F. Donnelly was charged with the larceny of a watch valued at \$15 and a pair of shoes valued at \$1.15 the property of Patrick Cassidy. He had heretofore entered a plea of not guilty but this morning through his counsel, Joseph F. Loughran, changed his plea to that of guilty. He was fined \$20.

### CASES CONTINUED

The case of Louis Pop charged with the larceny of a pistol was continued till tomorrow morning.

The case Joseph Corbin of Dracut charged with cruelty to a horse was continued till Saturday morning.

### OLD TIMERS

There was quite a number of old timers in the dock this morning. John Trainor made his 34th appearance and after putting up a plea received a suspended sentence of four months in jail.

It was John J. Kelley's 26th appearance.

but only the second within a year, therefore he escaped with a \$6 fine.

### SENT TO JAIL

Mary A. Gallant and her husband, Daniel, were before the court on charges of drunkenness. It was Mary's third time within a year and she will spend the next four months in jail. Her husband escaped with a \$6 fine.

### WON HIS RELEASE

Henry H. Knowlton, a farmer by occupation, but of a roving disposition and with a thirst for intoxicating beverages, is one of the funniest characters that has appeared in police court for a long time. It was his third time within a year and it looked as though he would travel over the road for a little vacation, but the story he told the court about how he had been to start some ploughing in the morning and that it would be a shame to delay the work any longer than noon, won for him his release on probation.

Henry has been working for a farmer in North Acton of late and after he had pleaded guilty to the complaint charging him with drunkenness he said: "Your Honor, I would just like to have a few words with you."

The court was willing and then Henry started with: "Well it was just like this. I have been on the farm for a long time and yesterday I blew into town. I met an old man and we had a bottle. After I had taken about five or six drinks I got to feel intoxicated, but you ought to see the old buck, he was laid out entirely. We intended starting to plough this morning, and now I can't get out there till this afternoon and it will make it bad all around. Then you see I haven't got any money either and I've got to walk."

Knowlton's plea went and he was given a suspended sentence to the state farm and placed in the hands of the probation officer at Concord, Mass.

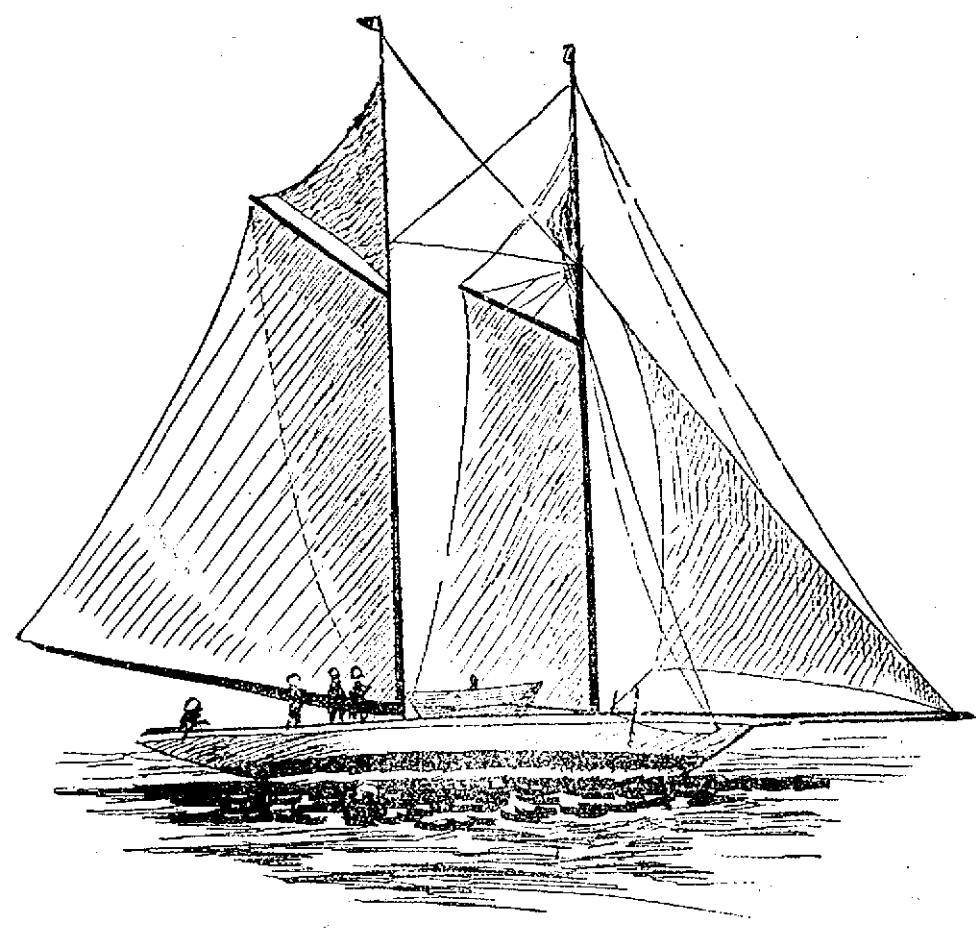
### PLEADED GUILTY

Adolphus Tremblay and Georgianna Guilmette were arrested in a house in Bridge street Sunday morning shortly before five o'clock and this morning in court both pleaded guilty to adultery. The arrests were made by Sergt. Duncan and Patrolman Provencher.

### THE SUNDAY DRUNKS

Louis Reault and Patrick Daly, Sunday drunks, were fined \$5 each. Charles McMillan informed the court that he would like a suspended sentence as he had work to go to in Wil-

VENONA OWNED BY GEORGE E. B. LISS OF BOSTON, WINNER OF CLASS C IN THE GREAT RACE FROM MARBLEHEAD TO BERMUDA.



## YACHT VENONA

Was First Yacht Across the Finish Line

ton, N. H. The court granted his request and Charles got a suspended sentence to the state farm, but if he is not out of Lowell within 24 hours he will travel towards Bridgewater.

James P. Harkins was fined \$5. It was Mary Grady's second offence, but instead of being fined \$5 she was sentenced to the state farm.

There were four first offenders who were fined \$2 each and 14 drunks were released.

Frank Desaphone was arrested for being drunk Saturday night and was released on bail, but in court this morning when his name was called it was found that he was among the missing. He was declared defaulted and a capias was issued for his arrest.

### BOTH WERE PINED

George H. Lord and Henry Highland got into a fight over a game of quoits Saturday night and were arrested by Patrolman Kilroy. At the police station they were booked for disturbing the peace.

The men were playing the game in Concord place when an argument arose over one of the plays. Inasmuch as both participants had been indulging rather too freely in intoxicating beverages it did not take long to pass the lie after which fists were freely used.

A crowd soon gathered and when the police officer arrived on the scene there were several hundred occupying "standing seats" at the ring side. There was no referee present and Patrolman Kilroy decided to act in that capacity, but it was only after considerable difficulty that he was able to make the scrappers "break" and even then they would not "break clean."

In court this morning both pleaded guilty to a complaint charging them with disturbing the peace and fines of \$15 were imposed. Lord settled, but Highland was unable to do so. A plea on the part of the latter's wife caused the court to give Highland three months to settle the fine.

### TIM O'LEARY

FOUND MRS. NOTMAN'S WATCH SATURDAY.

Timothy O'Leary of Dummer street states that it was he who found the watch lost by Mrs. Marie Notman, in Merrimack square, Saturday, and not Officer Bump. The watch was afterward given to the officer who turned it over to the owner.

## AT COMMUNION

Knights of Columbus at St. Peter's

Nearly 260 members of Lowell council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, received holy communion in a body at St. Peter's church yesterday morning and made an excellent showing. The members assembled at the Fair hall in Gorton street and headed by Grand Knight John H. McNabb and the other officers, marched to St. Peter's church where seats were reserved in the centre aisle. Rev. Hugh M. McDermott was celebrant of the mass and communion was given by Rev. Michael Roman and Rev. W. George Mullin, the latter the popular chaplain of the council. The choir made up of members of the council rendered Von La Hache's unison mass, under the direction of Michael J. Johnson. At the offertory the choir sang "See the Paraclete Descending," and at the close of the service choir and congregation sang the hymn of praise. After the services the knights repaired to Lincoln hall where breakfast was served. After breakfast Grand Knight McNabb spoke briefly congratulating the members on their excellent showing. He was followed by Rev. Fr. Roman and Rev. Fr. Mullin, who complimented the council on its splendid work and wished for greater success in the future. A literary and musical program was carried out.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

BOWERS—The funeral of Catherine Bowers will take place tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock from the house. At 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

WATTS—The funeral of Elizabeth Watts will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the house and at 9:45 o'clock a mass of requiem will be held at St. Michael's church. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

## YACHT VENONA

Was First Yacht Across the Finish Line

HAMILTON, Bermuda, June 8.—The yacht Venona, owned by E. J. Bliss of Boston, one of the contestants in the race from Marblehead, Mass., to this place, was the first boat to finish, having crossed the line at 3:31 yesterday afternoon. Her daily runs were 173, 108, 154 and 122 knots. She was sighted off the Head at 2:30 o'clock. As soon as her appearance was signalled the members of the clubs here boarded Commodore Trott's private tug Corona and started to meet her. Unfortunately the tug broke down and went ashore in the tug broke passage. After strenuous efforts she was floated in an hour, but by that time the Venona had crossed the finish line.

### FUNERALS

CLARK—The funeral of Martha Clark took place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her mother, 50 Fulton street and was largely attended. The Rev. A. St. John Chamber conducted services at the house. Miss Nettie Studley and Miss M. Gordon sang very sweetly. Some time well understood and also "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." The bearers were Messrs. Herbert Hammer, Frank Eastman, Bertie Connors, Daniel Callahan, Harry McCormack, and William Connors.

The following young men acted as ushers: Frank Mack, Henry Dwyer, Joseph Kennedy, Frank Thompson, and Charles Nolan. There were very many beautiful floral offerings, among them being the following: A pillow inscribed "Our Baby" from the family of the deceased; pillow of roses, shopmates at Amherst weave room; pillow inscribed "At Rest," a friend; large floral clock, shopmates at Moore's mill; North Chelmsford; wreath inscribed "Only Sleeping" from Mrs. Forsythe and family; wreath, "Martha," Mr. and Mrs. David Burns; wreath, "Martha," Mrs. Blaisdell and daughter Nellie; wreath, "Sister," Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy; spray, Mrs. Lussier and family of No. Chelmsford; spray of 16 roses, Miss Eva Palmer; spray, Frank Mack; spray, Misses A. and K. Brech; spray, Mr. and Mrs. John White; spray, Gladys McLoughry; spray, Messrs. William Connors, Joseph Powers and Bertie Connors; spray, Margaret and Edward Callahan; spray, Miss C. Wentworth; and Mr. T. Kennedy; spray, Misses Katherine and Bessie Powers; Mary and Lillian Bloomfield; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gendron; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey; spray, a friend; spray, Edward Bushnell; spray of plums, Mrs. Bloomfield and family. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. C. H. Mulloy & Sons in charge.

HENNEWAY—The funeral of Miss Harriet Henneway occurred on Friday from her late home in Gorton and was largely attended. Among those present were Mr. Augustus Henneway, Boston and Judge A. P. Stone of Cambridge. There were many beautiful floral tributes including a sheet of wheat, the gift of Middlesex Pomona, and the Gorton Grange gave a wreath. A wreath was also the gift of Mr. A. Henneway, and a pillow from "Dear Harriet" with a spray of mixed flowers from the Ladies' Benevolent society of the "International society" were the gifts from the various organizations to which she belonged. Lowly sprays and floral tributes were the gifts from personal friends. Rev. G. M. Howe officiated, while the Grange laid her away with the communal service.

SCOTT—The funeral of William J. Scott was held Sunday afternoon from the Swedish M. E. church at 3 o'clock and was largely attended by personal friends and relatives. Rev. M. Nelson conducted the services. The music was by the church choir. "Saved by Grace" was also rendered by a quartet composed of the Messrs. Scott and G. H. Loring. Mr. Victor Hedlund and Mr. Charles Loring. The flowers were many and beautiful, consisting of a pillow inscribed "Brother" from Mr. and Mrs. Emil Osbeck and a pillow inscribed "Our Brother" from Swedish M. E. church; spray of roses, inscribed "William" from Miss Ida Larson; star, from Sunday school; wreath, inscribed "Epworth League" from E. L. society; sprays from young men, the employees

of the Merrimack mills dressing room; Mr. B. Irvine and Miss Jessie Todd; Miss Marguerite Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burt; and Miss Elizabeth Nelson; from Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bjorkman. The employees of the Merrimack mills dressing room attended in a body.

The bearers were: Messrs. Victor and Robert Hedlund, Axel Bratt and Charles Loring. Burial took place in the Edison cemetery where the quartet rendered "Beautiful Isle." The communal service was read by Pastor Nilsson. Arrangements were under the direction of the Horace Ela company, undertakers.

### DEATHS

LEAHY—Mrs. George Byron Leahy died at Standford, P. Q., Thursday, June 4, 1908. She resided in Forgo Village for a number of years, going five years ago. She leaves a son, her loss her husband, William, and three small children, the youngest three months old, and four sisters, Hannah of Marlboro, Rose, Delphine and Louisa of Forgo Village, four brothers, Henry of Milford, Wilfred of Wakefield, Frank and Oliver of Forgo Village.

COLLIER—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest F. Collier will be pained to learn of the death of their youngest son, Bryant Foster Collier, which occurred last Friday at the home of his parents in Billerica Centre. The funeral occurred yesterday, burial being in the Corner cemetery.

CRONIN—Margaret Cronin, aged 33 years, died yesterday at Dorchester, Mass. The remains were brought to this city today by Undertaker Savage and removed to her late home, 34 Palco street. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Michael Healy and Mrs. Thomas Savage of this city, and one brother, Michael Cronin of Ireland.

WATTS—Mrs. Elizabeth Watts, widow of John Watts and an old and highly esteemed resident of St. Michael's parish, died yesterday at her home, 26 Hampshire street. She is survived by one son, James Watts, and three daughters, Mrs. Philip O'Brien and Mrs. John DeLoe. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Friends are requested to attend.

HAWKINS—Mrs. Mary E. Hulme Hawkins, wife of Alva Hawkins, died this morning at St. John's hospital. Mrs. Hawkins was a well known resident of Collingville. The remains were taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CARL—Mrs. Mathilda A. Carl, aged 70 years, died last night at her home, 31 Princeton street. She is survived by two brothers, George J. of Neponset and Martin H. of West Medford, and two sisters, Mrs. Geoffrey Harrington and Mrs. Della Scott of this city. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Friends invited. J. A. Weinbeck, undertaker.

BOWERS—Mrs. Catherine Bowers died Saturday night at the home of her grand-daughter, Mrs. C. H. Whitney, 72 West Sixth street, aged 74 years. Deceased was the widow of Thomas Bowers, and was a resident of Dracut and Centerville for 60 years past. Mrs. Bowers was a member of St. Michael's church and formerly of the Immaculate Conception church. She is survived by two sons, Joseph M. and Edward M., the Centerville grocers, and the latter the treasurer of the Lowell Retail Grocers and Butchers Association, and president of the Lowell Reform Club corporation; four daughters, Mrs. Annie Bowers, Mrs. George H. Wilber and Miss Margaret Bowers, all of Lowell, and Mrs. Lyman Barnes of Canada. Mrs. Bowers had three grand-children and three great-grand-children.

CORNOCK—Mrs. Lydia B. Cornock, wife of Warren F. Cornock, died yesterday at her home, 34 Merrimack street, aged 24 years, 11 months. The body was sent to New York for burial by Undertaker Weinbeck.

SCOTT—Mrs. Marjorie Hoffman Scott, widow of James Scott, and an old resident of Lowell, died June 7, at the home of her son, William Scott, in Beverly, where she made her home for the last two years. Deceased was 50 years old.

### IT DESERVES IT

The Sun occupies the highest position in local Journalism. It leads in everything. Every one admits it to be LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

## FISH SENT BACK MORE PERMITS

Was Not What the City For Building Issued by Inspector Smith

Purchasing Agent Mackenzie is a good judge of a good many things, fish included, and when a fellow "way down in Gloucester" thinks he can make cheap take and small shore cod pass muster as good Georges cod with our purchasing agent, the fellow in fish town is making a mistake.

John P. Witham, formerly of Lowell, but now a fish dealer in Gloucester, has been supplying the city from in Chelmsford street with fish for the last three or four years and that means about 12 tons a year, a ton a month—a contract not to be sneezed at.

His are six month contracts and he has already covered three months of his last six month contract. Not until a few weeks ago, however, was any very serious fault found with Mr. Witham's fish. Purchasing Agent Mackenzie had made inquiries as to the quality of the fish that was being shipped from Gloucester and the city farm superintendent, Martin Courtney, said that a shipment previous to the date of Mr. Mackenzie's inquiry was a little off color.

The purchasing agent asked to be notified when the next shipment was received. Now the contract calls for Georges cod and the shipment that came a few days ago, Messrs. Mackenzie and Courtney had had the conversation referred to, contained, instead of Georges cod a very poor specimen of hake.

Mr. Mackenzie wrote immediately to Mr. Witham in Gloucester advising him of the discovery and telling him that the shipment would not be accepted. Mr. Witham replied stating that he would come to Lowell the following Tuesday. He came to Lowell but instead of doing business with Mr. Mackenzie he did it with Mr. Courtney. He told Mr. Courtney that he would make it all right and Mr. Courtney told him to go ahead and do so at once.

The shipment to take the place of the hake arrived a few days ago and some of it found its way to the farm before Mr. Mackenzie was notified of its arrival, and when he investigated he found that it was a shipment of small shore cod, a little improvement on the hake but not much and the difference in price between the small shore cod and Georges cod would be three cents and a fraction of a cent.

This last shipment has been held up, the fish that were removed to the city farm having, by order of Mr. Mackenzie, been returned to the car and Mr. Witham has been notified and he will be asked to explain.

Applications for permits to build and make alterations in buildings as registered at the office of the lands and buildings department at the city hall since the last were published, are as follows:

P. O'Hearn will build a three story nine family dwelling at 482 Moody street. Stickney, Austin & Rourke are the architects and C. F. & J. B. Varum are the builders. The estimated cost is \$5000.

James H. Walker has asked for a permit to make alterations in the building recently purchased by M. Marks Co., in Central street. The alterations will be confined mostly to the front of the building, lower floor and the cost of making the changes is estimated at \$1500.

Andrew J. Quinn has been granted a permit to enlarge the kitchen and piazza on a house in Stromplund avenue near Cosgrove street. The estimated cost is \$100.

Richard Hray of 52 Whipple street has been granted a petition to make alterations on a building at that number. The alterations will include the addition of two rooms and a bath and the estimated cost is \$200.

### UNKNOWN MAN

STRUCK BY AN AUTOMOBILE AND KILLED.

BOSTON, June 8.—A man whose name and antecedents are unknown, met his death yesterday in Chelsea by a collision between an automobile and a furniture wagon.

The fatality occurred shortly after the auto had run into a small boy and was carrying him to the Naval hospital.

When the auto struck the wagon, the man was thrown to the street and was rendered unconscious. He was hurried to the Naval hospital, where he died shortly after. Medical Examiner Magrath examined the body.

The boy was able to go to his home about three hours after he had been struck.

### THREE DROWNED

IN CANOE ACCIDENT ON LAKE QUINSIGAMOND.

WORCESTER, June 8.—Fred H. Farwell, 15, of 10 Walnut street, and two unidentified girls were drowned yesterday afternoon in a canoe accident on Lake Quinsigamond about half a mile south of Blake's island. None of the bodies have been recovered, and the police who immediately began grappling, have no clue to the identity of the girl victims.

### SHOT HIMSELF

AFTER HOLDING THE POLICE AT BAY.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—After holding the police at bay for six hours, Dr. Joseph Pospisil, an employee of the pension office, shot himself through the brain yesterday while insane. Laboring under a delusion that an attempt was being made to murder him, he fired at pedestrians and into the homes of his neighbors. When the police came he fired upon them, preventing their near approach to the house. Altogether he fired about 50 shots, none of which, however, took effect.

Before arming himself, Pospisil passed his three little children through the windows to persons in the adjoining house. His wife remained with him, trying to quiet him, but becoming alarmed when he opened fire on the soldiers who had taken her children. When she shot himself he was sitting in the second story window of his home. He plunged forward to the ground and died on the way to the hospital. Dr. Pospisil came to Washington from Wisconsin about 13 years ago.

### STORY UNTRUE

BOY WHO CONFESSED MURDERS MAY BE INSANE.

DEBHAM, June 8.—Anthony Santo, the boy who made an alleged confession Saturday that he killed Louis Staula, the child found with her head crushed in the Cannock Island district some weeks ago, has been practically eliminated from all connection with the murder to which he confessed, as a result of a long examination held yesterday by the police. The officers questioned the boy for hours yesterday and although he still stuck to the statement made Saturday declaring not only that he killed the Staula girl, but that he also killed two Brooklyn, N. Y. boys in a similar manner, the officers came to the conclusion that he was suffering from hallucinations and that he had no real connection with the murder of the girl.

Chief of Police Sackett said last night that he will probably have young Santo examined by a board of physicians with a view to having him placed in an asylum for the insane or home for the feeble minded should his mental condition be found to warrant it.

### FOUR MEN SHOT

ONE IS NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE.

ATTLEBORO, June 8.—Four men were shot, one of whom will probably die, as a result of a racial feud, battle between two camps of Greeks and Italians, here yesterday. The most seriously injured man, Thomas Demetris, was taken to the Rhode Island hospital. The others had their wounds attended to at the jail. A deputy sheriff made many arrests after the affray was over.

### HANGED HIMSELF

MANSFIELD, June 8.—Wm. Wm. aged 33 years, committed suicide yesterday by hanging. Despondency due to ill health is supposed to have led to the suicide.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun. Want column.



BROTHER LAWRENCE, THE OLDEST MEMBER OF THE AUGUSTINIAN ORDER IN AMERICA, WHO DIED YESTERDAY.

## BRO. LAWRENCE

Lived to Be Nearly 100 Years Old

LAWRENCE, June 8.—Brother Lawrence of St. Mary's Augustinian Priory, the oldest lay brother of any religious community in America, if not in the world, died yesterday afternoon, in his 100th year. He was 99 on March 25.

When he celebrated his birthday he received many friends, being at that time a hard working religious enthusiast, defendant of all weathers. He was a member of the Augustinian order 39 years. In-

cluding the seven years of probation which preceded the taking of the final vows.

Brother Lawrence was born in Callan, County Kilkenny, Ireland, and growing up amid all the trials of the Irish poor, decided to devote his life to their betterment through work with the Augustinians. He took a deep interest in politics and joined in the emancipation movement of 1835 and 1839.

In 1849, with a band of 39 lay brothers, he came to America and began the work of erecting the buildings of Villanova college, Pennsylvania. He was there until 1871, when he was transferred to the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Lowell.

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7 Wash Benches	65c	25c
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2 (only) Bench Clothes Wringers	\$3.98	\$2.49
2 (only) Bench Clothes Wringers	\$4.50	\$2.98
13 (only) Boys' Sleds	25c	10c
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4 (only) Carpet Sweepers, nicked	\$3.00	\$1.98
5 (only) Carpet Sweepers, nicked	\$2.50	\$1.69
14 (only) Framed Pictures, with glass	35c	15c
Swift's Washing Powder	5c	3c
Swift's "Snap" Laundry Soap	3c	2c
Swift's White Ribbon Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Swift's Buttermilk Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Swift's Violet Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Dr. Carnot's Complexion Toilet Soap	5c	3c
Fairbanks' Tar Glycerine Toilet Soap	5c	3c
25 (only) Braided Cotton Clothes Lines	10c	7c
13 (only) Twisted Cotton Clothes Lines	10c	5c
10 (only) Jute Clothes Lines	20c	10c
25 (only) Half Peck Packages Matches	10c	5c
100 (only) Tin Table Spoons	15c Doz.	5c Doz.
100 Tin Tea Spoons	10c Doz.	3c Doz.
25 Sink Scrapers and Shovel	5c	3c
16 Fry Pans	10c to 30c	5c
30 Tin Lipped Kettles	10c, 15c	5c
Individual Glass Sals	10c	3c
White Hotel Sugar Bowls	35c	15c
100 White Coffee Mugs	90c Doz.	5c Each
60 White Sauce Boats	20c	10c
25 Decorated Sauce Boats	25c	15c
150 Large White Custards	10c	5c
50 Rockingham Soap Dishes	10c, 12c	5c
25 White Toilet Basins	50c	25c
20 Decorated Toilet Basins	75c	35c
50 Glass Candle Sticks	10c	10c
200 Glass Oils or Vinegar Cruets	10c	5c
200 Decorated Bone Dishes	10c	5c
2400 5-inch, 6-inch and 7-inch Decorated Plates	10c	5c
350 Decorated Oatmeal	10c	5c
125 Decorated Fruit Sauces	10c	5c
55 Decorated Soap Dishes	19c	10c
60 Gray Enamelled Deep Jelly Cake Pans	12c, 14c	5c
54 6-inch Lamp Reflectors	15c	10c
50 Paring Knives	10c	5c
1 Parlor Lamp	\$11.49	\$5.98
1 Parlor Lamp	\$7.49	\$4.98
220 Decorated Fruit Sauces	\$8.00	\$3.00
Toilet Sets	\$5.00	\$3.98

## DINNER SETS

Ten Sets, from which some of the pieces are missing—

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One Set, 74 pieces	\$10.00	\$4.50
One Set, 89 pieces	\$10.00	\$4.98
One Set, 97 pieces	\$10.00	\$5.98
One Set, 99 pieces	\$10.00	\$5.98
One Set, 103 pieces	\$10.00	\$6.50
One Set, 85 pieces	\$12.00	\$8.98
One Set, 87 pieces	\$12.00	\$8.98
One Set, 96 pieces	\$16.50	\$10.98
One Set, 98 pieces	\$16.50	\$10.98
One Set, 99 pieces	\$18.00	\$10.98

## TEA SETS

	O'Brien's Price	Our Price
One Set, 46 pieces	\$6.98	\$3.98
One Set, 54 pieces	\$6.98	\$4.50
Two Sets, 56 pieces, complete	\$6.98	\$5.00

## DECORATED TOILET SETS

	O'Brien's Price	Our Price
Decorated Toilet Sets	\$3.69	\$2.50
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## DINNERWARE STOCK PATTERNS

O'Brien's open stock patterns of Dinner Ware, consisting of the "Dewey" in gray, green and brown, the "Belle" and "Gold Traced Colonial" at much less than usual prices.  
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## MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Skirts, extra full, deep flounce of Val. lace and insertion, and deep flounce of wide hamberg, for \$1.98, regular \$2.50 and \$2.98.

Full Skirt, trimmed with insertion and deep lace, \$1.59, regular price \$2.00.

Deep flounce, five rows of Val. insertion, with lawn bands between lace in flounce and also on dust ruffle, \$1.69, regular price \$2.00.

Deep flounce, made of five rows Val. insertion with lawn bands between and wide hamberg insertion, lace on bottom of flounce and on dust ruffle, for \$1.98, regular price \$2.50.

A large line from \$1.98 to \$6.00, in lace and hamberg.

Fancy Lace Covers, in new styles, for 39c, 50c to \$2.98

Drawers, good cotton, full size, tucked ruffle, 19c, regular price 25c.

Corset Covers, with lace and insertion, for 19c, regular price 25c.

Corset Covers, yoke made of three rows of Val. section and beading, for 39c, regular price 50c and 62c.

Gowns, V and high neck, tucked yoke, 39c, regular price 50c.

Gowns, mainsook, full and long, kimono sleeves, lace trimmings and other styles in hamberg for 79c, regular price \$1.00.

Skirts, good cotton, flounce tucked, for 42c.

Skirts, full size, blind hamberg \$1.19, regular price \$1.50.

Skirts, extra full flounce of insertion and deep lace, \$1.58, regular price \$2.00.

Second Floor

BASEBALL									
Continued.									
May 25	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
May 26	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
May 27	3	1	2	2	2	0	1	0	0
May 28	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	6	7	23	8	4		
BURKES.									
May 17	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
May 18	4	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0
May 19	4	3	2	4	2	0	0	0	0
May 20	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
May 21	3	1	1	1	2	0	1	0	0
May 22	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
May 23	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
May 24	3	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	0
May 25	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Totals	30	4	5	7	24	11	2		
Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
H. Holy Name	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burkes	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	0
Summary: Three-base hits—Mullin, two-base hits—Gaffney, Scammon, Stollen, bases—Quiley, Fahay, Maguire 2.									
First base on balls—Golden 1, McCreedy 1. Struck out—Golden 1, McCreedy 1. Umpire—J. Healey. Time—49 min. Attendance—300.									
MATHEWS DEFEATED Y. M. C. I.									
The Mathews defeated the Y. M. C. I. in the first game of a double header by a score of 17 to 7. The features of the game were the general all round work of the Mathews who worked together like old timers. Manager King was ordered from the game for giving abuse to Umpire Gorman.									
The second game started off like a pyrrhic victory but for the sad ending it would have no doubt proven to be the best game of the season. McDonald was twirling for the Mathews and his work was greeted on all sides with applause. Rodgers was also working in great form until Umpire Gorman removed Manager King again from the game and the Y. M. C. I. refused to play any further. Therefore the game was forfeited to Mathews, 9 to 0.									
First game:									
MATHEWS.									
Gleason, c	5	2	1	2	4	0	0		
Kane, c	4	0	1	1	5	2	2		
Maloney, lf	5	2	1	2	1	1	0		
Grady, 2b	5	3	1	1	5	1	1		
Crab, lb	5	3	4	2	7	0	0		
Dowd, rf, ss	5	2	2	2	3	0	0		
Hunt, 3b	3	2	2	1	3	0	0		
Mullin, ss, rf	4	1	1	1	2	0	0		
Early, p	5	1	3	3	0	1	0		
Totals	39	17	14	16	27	10	5		
Y. M. C. I.									
J. Cunningham, lf, 3b, 5	3	3	3	3	0	0	0		
Jordan, ss	5	3	3	3	0	4	1		
King, 3b	4	1	0	1	0	3	0		
Heardon, rf	5	0	1	1	0	1	0		

Gookin, 2b	5	1	1	1	0	0			
Flynn, c	3	0	2	3	0	0			
J. Cunningham, 2b	4	0	1	2	1	0			
Kerwin, 1b	5	0	0	0	5	0			
Marlin, c	4	0	0	0	1	0			
McDermott, lf	0	0	0	0	1	0			
Totals	40	7	11	12	24	8			
Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Mathews	2	6	4	2	0	1	0	1	0
Y. M. C. I.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0
Summary: Two-base hits—Gleason, Maloney, Flynn, Stolen bases—Gleason 2, Kane, Crab 2, Dowd, Mullin. First base on balls—By Early 4, by Cunningham 8. Hit by pitched ball—Hunt. Struck out—By Early 4, by Cunningham 8. Sacrifice hits—Kane 2, Crab. Time—2:15. Umpire—Gorman. Attendance—300.									
O. M. I. S. S. BELVIDERES 1.									
The O. M. I. Cadets won easily from the Belvideres Saturday, the score being 8 to 3. The batting features were provided by Curry, Calnan and McMahon.									
The score:									
O. M. I. CADETS.									
O'Donnell, lf	5	1	2	0	0				
Clark, c	4	0	2	6	2				
Noonan, 3b	5	0	2	0	4				
Curry, c	4	2	3	0	0				
Calnan, 2b	5	2	3	4	1				
McMahon, rf	5	0	3	1	0				
Breanan, cf	5	1	1	1	0				
Godet, lb	4	2	1	14	0				
Hallowood, ss	4	0	1	1	4				
Totals	41	8	18	27	20				
BELVIDERES.									
Murphy, ss	3	1	2	2	5				
Sharkey, rf	4	0	1	0	0				
McDowell, p	4	0	0	1	1				
McDermott, cf	4	0	1	0	0				
O'Connor, 2b	4	0	1	5	0				
Bourke, lf	4	0	1	1	0				
Lyons, c	3	0	1	1	0				
Boyle, lb	4	0	1	9	2				
Jenkins, 2b	4	0	2	1	0				
Totals	34	1	9	26	12				
—Breanan out, hit by batted ball.									
O. M. I. Cadets.....6 1 0 2 1 2 2 0 0 0									
Belvideres.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0									
Earned runs—Cadets 7, Belvideres 1.									
Stolen bases—Cadets 9, Belvideres 6. Left on bases—Cadets 5, Belvideres 3.									
First base on balls—Off Curry 2, off McDowell 5.									
Hit by pitcher—Jenkins and O'Connor, struck out—By Curry 6, by McDowell 8.									
Wild pitch—Curry. Time—1:40. Umpire—Carney.									
CATHOLIC LEAGUE STANDING.									
	Won	Lost	P.						
St. Patrick's	5	1	8						
Mathews	5	1	8						
Sacred Hearts	2	4	3						
Y. M. C. I.	2	4	3						
Burkes	2	4	2						
St. John's	2	4	3						

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## AMATEUR GAMES SATURDAY.

At McCay's field, No. Chelmsford, Chelmsford 3, P. R. Warrens, 2.

At Westlands, Lowell 8, 10; Dixwells, 7.

At Bilerica, Phil Alpha Pl. 4; Sagamore, 0.

At Pawtucketville, Pawtucketville Blues, 17; M. C. A's, 16 (11 innings).

At Centralville, Greenhalgo, 10; Princeton, 6.

At No. Chelmsford, Riversides of North Chelmsford, 4; Burnside's, 3.

At Lakeview avenue, Sharks, 4; Stars, 2.

At No. common, Rangers, 6; C. Y. M. A., 5.

At North Chelmsford—St. John's 2nd, Holy Name of Lowell 6.

At Faulkner Park—T. R. and T. S. Falmouts of Lawrence 3.

At Tewksbury—Tewksbury 10, Alma-house Attendants 2, Lawrence 5, Doctors 7.

At Westford—Groton A. A. 6, Westford A. A. 2.

At Greenhalgo school—Young Dixwells 10, Princeton Jrs. 6.

At North Common—Victors 2nd 10, Red Rovers 5.

## AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Pirates of West Centralville defeated the West Ends by the score of 14 to 5. Come on, the Tigers or the Young Textiles, or any team under 14. Look at our lineup:

Jas. McCann c, F. McCashin p and captain, W. Manning lb, F. McCann 2b, F. McCashin ss, Wm. Taylor 3b, V. DeLoone rf, T. M. Garvey lf, A. DeLorme cf. Send all challenges to J. McCann, 4 Hamel place, or through this paper.

## GROVER FELS

PLAYED GOOD GAME AGAINST PRINCETON.

All reports of the Yale-Princeton game, Saturday, speak well of Grover Fels' fielding at shortstop for Yale. Grover took care of eight difficult chances without an error. He made only six hits and Grover didn't connect.

## BOXING GOSSIP

The bouts this week are:

## MEMORIAL DAY

Observed by Manchester Unity Odd Fellows

SERVICES HELD AT CEMETERY

Address by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott

The Manchester Unity lodges of Odd Fellows of this city together with members of Asa Pollard lodge of North Billerica and Nashoba lodge of Littleton held their annual memorial exercises yesterday afternoon, and at the same time dedicated their new burial lot in Westlawn cemetery, an annex to the Edson cemetery.

During the early part of the afternoon services were held in Grafton hall in Merrimack street. The roll call of deceased members was read. There was but one death in the local lodges this year, Edwin Lamson of Merrimack Valley lodge.

At two o'clock the line formed in Merrimack street. It was headed by ten past grands of the local lodges, namely: William Hudson, William Bamber, John Dawson, Douglas Robertson, Henry Davis, John Boughton, Andrew Mowatt, John Scobie, George Ingals and Arthur Black. The National band, Lt. A. Griffiths, leader, followed. Then came the chief marshal of the day, Charles W. Cullum, James McCaskill was chief marshal's aid and the members of the memorial committee were: Frederick Silk, chairman; Ernest Nelson, secretary; and Edgar W. Derman, treasurer. The members of the lodges followed. Carriages brought up the rear of the line.

The members then marched through the principal streets of the city to the cemetery. The work of decorating the graves had been done in the forenoon.

Manchester Unity lot was reached about three o'clock and with the members formed in a hollow square. The exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. Benj. A. Willmott, of the First Congregational church. Two stanzas of "Nearer, My God to Thee" were then sung, with band accompaniment. The memorial address was given by Rev. M. Willmott. He said in part:

"Brothers of the Manchester Unity lodges of Odd Fellows: We are gathered about this beautiful burial plot this afternoon as a token of our love for the memories of those members of our order who have passed on, as a token of our loyalty to their memory, of our loyalty to our brotherhood and our fraternity.

"This is a great order, extending all over the world, and it embraces all creeds and all walks of life. And when we speak of this order we must think of the great facts back of our Christian civilization, the facts at the base of it. They are the universal brotherhood of God and the universal brotherhood of man.

"And, when we think of those sleep-

ing in death, we can best remember them, not simply by recalling their virtues, but by thinking of the brevity of our lives. A feeling of great solemnity must come over us all when we think of our few days on earth. God has so ordained that our days here should be but few and we must strive during those few days to pattern our lives as closely after God as possible.

"Your order is one of mutual helpfulness. Every one has his burden to bear. Very often the cheery smile masks the heart-breaking sorrow. Such is not the case of any one body of men alone, but it is true of the human race. Although we have not the power to carry the burdens of our brothers, we can seek to make those burdens lighter.

"We should be prepared for the awful emergency of death. And not spiritual preparation alone. We should seek, during our few days here, to prepare for our wives and children who will live after us, prepare against the creeping of poverty on every door. This is the two-fold function of every great organization. The spirituality of life is the crowning effort of a life. Man is more than a machine to earn money. He is a being with an immortal destiny. In our thoughts of death there should be no morbidness. We ought to prepare for the great change and so live our lives that we will be ready when the hour comes.

"It frequently takes more of heroism to work day in and day out for our families than to die on the battlefield. As Abraham Lincoln said, 'God bless the common people,' so may you glory in the fact that we are the average men. Brothers, be brothers. Be brothers in the mills, be brothers in the homes, on the streets, carry your great gospel out of your lodge room and make it the gospel of all you know."

Mayor Farnham was unable to be present to make any remarks. The funeral service of the order was then carried out by Dr. George W. Leith, assisted by the members of the order. This was followed by the hymn, "Lead Kindly Light," sung to the English tune of "Sandon." The salutation of the brothers was then in order, followed by benediction, which was given by Rev. Mr. Willmott.

The line re-formed, marching down Grafton and Central streets to Merrimack, where it disbanded at Grafton hall.

Interest of the church and Sunday school.

In recognition of these faithful services the company to the number of about 60 persons met Mr. Thorne at the door of his home Saturday evening and gave him the time of his life. Though he was taken entirely by surprise he met the situation with good grace and exercised excellent self-control. The evening was spent in playing games, singing and in other pleasurable forms of amusement. During the evening the Bible class served ice cream, cake and delicacies in abundance. Before departing the company further surprised Mr. Thorne by presenting to him a token of their esteem in the form of an odd, fancy rattan chair. Rev. Mr. Kenyon made the presentation speech and assured Mr. Thorne that the chair was not intended as a suggestion that the superintendent should retire from service and henceforth be seated, but was a token of love, with the hope that if perchance he should sometime feel overworked and care-worn he may know that his colleagues had made provision for his well earned comfort.

Mr. Thorne responded in a few well chosen words, expressing his appreciation and requested that the company sing "Blest Be the Tie." It was a late hour when the happy party adjourned, all feeling that the occasion had been a grand success.

Denchue; secretary, William J. Kenyon; treasurer, William Ryan; board of trustees, Denis A. O'Brien, chairman; Charles Slowe, John Nolan, Myles Thompson and Thomas Hublin.

It was voted to turn out in the Centerville Night Before celebration and present a feature. It is expected that 100 members will be in line. The committee appointed to take charge of the arrangements for the feature in the parade consists of Frank Golden, Walter Foye and Denis A. O'Brien.

One new member, John Carrig, was admitted.

the song very attractive. "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" is without doubt the most popular and up-to-date song of the day. Mr. Ed will sing it this week, which will be his first appearance in Lowell. Don't fail to hear it.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Marriage intentions registered at the city clerk's office since the last were published are as follows:

Arcubald Campbell, 27, chemist's assistant, 25 Anderson street, and Mary B. Law, 21, at home, 65 Bridge street.

Fred Clarence Whittier, 30, overseer, 55 Eighteenth street, and Harriet Louise Lowberg, 34, at home, 59 Chestnut street.

Joseph Canto, 26, carpenter, Pawtucket, R. I., and Marie M. Hay, 27, milliner, 35 Decatur street.

Emmanuel Dregan, 23, barber, Hudson, Mass., and Nellie Frietas, 22, operative, 23 Lincoln street.



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**A SURPRISE**

SUPT. J. E. THORNE PRESENTED A CHAIR.

One of the most pleasant events in the Chelmsford street parish took place Saturday evening when a company of Sunday school teachers, officers and adult scholars assembled at an early hour at the Chelmsford street church and marched in a body to the home of Superintendent J. E. Thorne, 50 Puffer street. The event took the form of a surprise party to Mr. Thorne who has served as the efficient and genial superintendent of the Chelmsford street Sunday school during the past eight years, where he is held in highest esteem and greatly beloved by old and young.

Mr. Thorne is foreman of bridge construction on the southern division of the Boston & Maine R. R., and his duties take him out of town the greater part of the week, but all of his spare time when in Lowell is spent in the

**STAR THEATRE**

There is an excellent program on this week. A ventriloquist and impersonator of a high class will be the vaudeville feature. The moving pictures are up-to-date in drama and comedy and among the best obtained. "Two Little Baby Shoes" will be sung by Babe Curry as an illustrated song. The illustrations are beautiful and

**PRINCETON CLUB**

MET LAST NIGHT AND ELECTED OFFICERS.

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Princeton club of Centerville was held last night and the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: President, George

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**PRICES CUT DOWN**

To the lowest limit. Everything marked in plain figures, the big blue tag slaughters the price; you can see the reductions. Not a dollar's worth of this new stock will be reserved, all must be sold in Lowell, inside of 10 days' time. Store now closed and will not be opened to the public until the morning of June 10th. An opportunity to outfit your home at little cost. Come and get your share.

## Down, Down, Go the Prices With a Thundering Crash!

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50 Galvanized WASH TUBS, the \$1.00 kind, on sale at 45c Each

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All \$7.50 WASHING MACHINES for..... \$3.98

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Store closed Monday and Tuesday, June 8th and 9th, arranging this Gigantic Stock for the Big Sale, which opens Wednesday, June 10th.

**MATTINGS**

Our importation 1908 Mattings have arrived and they go on sale.

Good China Matting, neat patterns, most beautiful colorings, worth 25c a yard, price..... 13c a Yard

All grades of high-class Mattings in all patterns and colors; worth up to 50c and 60c a yard, sale price a yard..... 25c

Coco Washable Matting, reversible sides, worth 65c a yard..... 39c

Matting Rugs, size 9x12, at..... \$3.98

**LINOLEUMS**

Linoleums, well seasoned, good materials, pretty range, new block, conventional and parquetry and art effects. Price, square yard..... 39c

**CARPET DEPT.**

Our purchase from the mill was bought at 55 cents on the dollar, but will be sold to the people of Lowell and vicinity for less than manufacturer's cost. Now if you are in need of a carpet, the time has come to make your purchase, for this will be your life-long opportunity.

Stair Carpet..... 15c Yard

Half-woolen Ingrain..... 29c Yard

All-wool Ingrain, cotton chair, first class quality, elegant pattern..... 39c Yard

Strictly All-wool Ingrain, very best grade, handsome pattern, 1908 design..... 55c Yard

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The sworn daily net average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1907 was

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JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest net average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE-THIRD the price charged by the other dapers.

## REAL AND FICTITIOUS VALUES

FOR SOME TIME PAST STOCK MARKET PRICES HAVE BEEN DEMORALIZED AND STOCKS THAT ONCE WERE CONSIDERED GILT EDGED HAVE DWINDLED DOWN TO THE LOWEST EBB THUS WIPING AWAY FORTUNES THAT CAN NEVER BE RECOVERED.

THE COLLAPSE OF PRICES IN THE VARIOUS STOCKS SHOWS THAT BY ONE MEANS OR ANOTHER THE SPECULATORS MANAGE TO GIVE THEIR STOCKS FICTITIOUS VALUES BY BLUFFING THE PUBLIC AND BY MISREPRESENTATION AS TO THE FACTS. BUT WHEN A DEPRESSION OR SOMETHING IN THE NATURE OF A PANIC ARRIVES THE GREAT TENDENCY IS TOWARD THE INTRINSIC VALUES. THE FICTITIOUS VALUES SLIP AWAY LIKE WIND FROM AN INFLATED BAG AND ONLY THE ACTUAL VALUES REMAIN. REAL ESTATE HOLDS ITS VALUE AS A RULE AND IN THIS RESPECT IS MUCH SAFER AS AN INVESTMENT THAN STOCKS, WHICH ARE SUBJECT TO SUCH SUDDEN FLUCTUATION. THE HIGH TARIFF PREVAILING IN THIS COUNTRY ENABLES THE TRUSTS TO SET FICTITIOUS VALUES UPON VARIOUS COMMODITIES WITH THE RESULT THAT IF THE TRUST MONOPOLIES BE BROKEN UP BY A LOWER TARIFF, OR OTHER CAUSE, THERE WILL BE A LEVELLING OF VALUES REGULATED BY THE REAL OR INTRINSIC VALUE, SAME AS THERE IS AT PRESENT IN THE STOCK MARKET.

THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION HAS DECIDED TO SHOW THE LIBERALITY OF THE MEMBERS BY GIVING THEIR CLERKS AN IDEAL OUTING IN AUGUST. THE PROGRAM PLANNED FOR THE OCCASION IS ONE THAT WILL MEET THE HEARTY APPROVAL OF EVERY CLERK IN THE CITY. THE CLERKS, AS A CLASS, WORK HARD AND THIS MARK OF APPRECIATION BY THEIR EMPLOYERS WILL SERVE TO MAKE THEM MORE DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF THE LATTER.

THERE IS NOW A STRONG RIVALRY BETWEEN CENTRALVILLE AND THE SOUTH END AS TO WHICH WILL DRAW THE LARGEST CROWD THE NIGHT BEFORE THE FOURTH. WE WOULD SUGGEST THAT BOTH UNITE THEIR FORCES IN PARADING ON CENTRAL AND MERRIMACK STREETS SO THAT THE PUBLIC CAN JUDGE OF THEIR COMPARATIVE MERITS.

AT A TIME WHEN THE WATCHWORD IN EVERY OTHER DEPARTMENT IS "ECONOMY" THE SCHOOL BOARD GOES RIGHT AHEAD WITH ITS OLD TIME DEALS WITH PUBLISHERS FOR BOOKS THAT ARE NOT NEEDED. THE SCHOOL BOARD HAS MORE CONSIDERATION FOR THE BOOK PUBLISHERS THAN IT HAS FOR THE TAXPAYERS.

THE CITY COUNCIL IS AS MUCH AT SEA AS EVER ON THE PLAN OF SEWERAGE FOR THE ANNEXED DISTRICT AND THUS IT MUST REMAIN UNTIL IT ORDERS THE CITY ENGINEER TO SUPPLY THE NECESSARY PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE WHOLE SYSTEM.

JUNE IS A GREAT MONTH FOR WEDDINGS AND THE NUMBER OF INTENTIONS RECORDED THUS FAR AT CITY HALL WOULD INDICATE THAT THE PRESENT MONTH WILL NOT FALL BEHIND THE RECORD OF PAST YEARS.

MILL MATTERS ARE LOOKING MUCH BRIGHTER. THE SWING OF THE BUSINESS PENDULUM BACK TO THE SIDE OF PROSPERITY MAY BE SLOW, BUT IN THE OPINION OF SHREWD MILL MEN IT WILL HENCEFORTH MOVE STEADILY IN THAT DIRECTION.

THE RESIDENTS OF TYLER PARK HAVE NOTHING AGAINST THE HORSE BUT THEY DO NOT CARE TO HAVE HIM FOR THEIR NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR.

THE SCHOOL BOARD IS THE ONLY CITY DEPARTMENT THAT KNOWS NO BUSINESS DEPRESSION.

THIS IS THE HARVEST TIME OF THE TROLLEY LINES.

## SEEN AND HEARD

Here are a few items for the consideration of employer and employee in business:

The man who is ashamed to work with his hands will never do any valuable work with his brains.

A stream of opportunities is constantly going by. Pick out the ones that you can use and nab them.

He who would be a judge of men must be able to withhold judgment until certainty takes the place of assumption.

All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, and a dull boy will sell very few goods and make no satisfied customers.

To be happy one must keep busy. There is no joy in idleness which goes further than rest and becomes one's profession.

Your best salesman will lose some sales. Don't expect a man to be a successful hypnotist for ten or twelve dollars per.

Slipshod management begets slipshod help, and carelessness, even in the smallest details, is never unnoticed by the employer.

Never wink at the overcharging of a customer. Reprove a clerk as quickly for an error in your favor as for one in favor of the customer.

No engagement is so unimportant as not to be worth punctuality. Be on hand when you agree to be and you can demand punctuality in others.

The successful man today is the practical man. If you are not already familiar with the working side of your business, begin the study of it now.

An oversold or an overcharged customer is a customer lost nine times in ten. Look at every sale from the customer's point of view before you call it closed.

It will pay any man, no matter how big his store, to see as many customers personally as his time will allow. People like to do business with the head of the concern.

No arrogant man shall pass through the portals of Mercantile Success. He who is an arrogant employer shall have servile employees. What a prize combination for repelling trade!

If you expect your clerks to be enthusiastic about the store and the business, see that you give them some reason to be. Nothing will starve to death much quicker than enthusiasm.

The trade of the moneyed class is most desirable, but not the name of running a store for one class of customers unless that class is large enough to supply all the business you want.

The man who hides his time has been commended a good deal, but if you ever watched one of those men who hide their time and succeed in the end, you will notice that while they wait they labor diligently.

## MORE HOUSEHOLD WOE.

(Chicago News.)  
Life used to have a rosy hue, but now it's turning green. A measly verandah meets my view in each domestic scene. I'm pretty sure I never thought I had the self-restraint That I have shown since Mary bought That gallon can of paint.

She bought it to renew a chair That age and use had worn And ever since with blank despair And rage and grief I'm torn. The color isn't to my taste, The odor makes me faint, But Mary doesn't like to waste— She's using up that paint.

Perhaps a pint had been enough— Perhaps a little less; But there's a gallon of the stuff That causes my distress. She's freshened this and freshened that 'Till it would vex a saint, It's green as grass all through the flat. Since Mary bought that paint.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

THE NEW YORK RECOUNT.  
Boston Herald: As to the McClellan-Hearst recount, the cold fact is that the changes up to date are far less numerous or important than are discovered in the recounts we are accustomed to in Massachusetts. And we don't denounce them as frauds on the ballot box, but simply the result of carelessness in counting.

BIG GAME.  
Boston Post: The announcement that with apparently veracious indifference from the White House that Mr. Roosevelt intends to go to Africa and shoot elephants after the 4th of March next. At the moment, this is accepted as an absolute and sufficient declaration of refusal of renomination at Chicago. If the president has bought his guns and engaged his hunters and laid in his supplies for an African campaign against strange wild beasts, he has given evidence of the sincerity of his withdrawal from office here at home.

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

In his statement given out just before his departure for Europe, Cardinal Logue expressed his gratitude to

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the American people for the cordial reception they had given him, recorded a realization of his high conception of the American republic's mission, and expressed his conviction that this country is assured of a glorious future if it but be true to the ideals of the republic's founders.

The cardinal, however, saw dangers ahead. His note of warning was against the misuse of prosperity and power. He alluded to his visit to Mt. Vernon and the perfect air of simplicity that he found marking the home-stead and the tomb of Washington, and added:

"If I may be allowed to draw a lesson from Mt. Vernon, I should like to say to the American people that the alarming increase in the number of divorces in the United States is a great and crying evil, full of danger. The greatness of any country must be measured by the strength and purity of the home. Divorce disrupts the home and desecrates its sanctity. I feel that the American people appreciate the honorable influence of the Catholic church in its fight for the home, in which the first lessons of respect for authority and the necessity for obedience must be learned; and these lessons are being instilled into the mind of the child if the home be not what it ought to be."

Cardinal Logue will have as traveling companions on his voyage Bishop Broderick of Cloyne and their two secretaries, a steamer, carrying Archbishop Forley, numerous other ecclesiastics and a large party of laymen conveyed the Campana down the bay when she sailed.

When about to evolve one of his semi-annual works of exciting and adventurous fiction, E. Phillips Oppenheim does not sit down in his library and start the motor power of his imagination, but sails for London or one of the continental capitals, where he proceeds to mingle with Bohemianism or other picturesque and unconventional real life. There he finds living models and strange episodes, tragic and comic, which lend theme to his ready pen and fertile note books.

Senator Rutherford of Utah is the only senator who was born in England.

N. S. Bowker of Marshfield, Me., has been chairman of the board of selectmen for 19 years, from 1888 to 1907. He was also town treasurer for 2 years and is at the present time town clerk.

The country store account book used by Ebenezer and Samuel Talcott of Wethersfield, Conn., in 1712 is owned by William H. Talcott, a descendant. These old accounts were kept in pounds, shillings and pence.

David A. Ashley of Springfield celebrated his 93d birthday recently by taking his first automobile ride, which he appeared to enjoy greatly.

## LEG CUT OFF

MAN WAS FOUND LYING ON THE TRACK.

NATICK, June 8.—James Lunsden, a native of Scotland, 23 years old, living at Wellesley, was found on the tracks of the B. & A. R. R. near Lake Crossing, at 7 o'clock yesterday morning with his leg cut off.

Unable to attract the attention of anybody, the unfortunate man had torn the leg of his trousers into strips and had slowly but securely bound up the wound, at least sufficiently to stop the flow of blood that surely would have resulted in his death.

It is thought that he must have been struck by the paper train due to pass that point at about 4.40 in the morning, which means that he was lying on the tracks for two hours and 20 minutes. He was not unconscious when found, but was unable to give any clear reason for being on the tracks and had no exact knowledge as to when he met with the accident.

He was taken to the Monroe hospital, where his wounds were dressed. His name is now on the dangerous list.

## THE FLORIDA

TO BE PUNCTURED BY MOST POWERFUL TORPEDO.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The monitor Florida, shot at two weeks ago by the heaviest naval gun, will on Saturday, June 13, be punctured beneath her water-line by the most powerful American whitehead torpedo. The torpedo is to be sent at the Florida that it may be definitely known whether a water tight bulkhead specially constructed with her designed after all the most modern ideas of construction, can be depended upon to save a ship from destruction against this dangerous method of attack. Secretary Metcalf has invited Secretary Taft to be present to witness the demonstration. Naval experts predict that she will not be sunk by the torpedo, but will "settle" about a foot.

When the torpedo strikes, according to official prediction, there will be a splash up the side of the Florida, an explosion and the general settling down of the monitor.

Should the unexpected happen and the bulkhead prove too fragile to withstand the high explosive, the Florida will sink. It is with this contingency in mind that the trial has been selected where the water is shallow, and there the monitor may be raised with the least trouble and cost.

## PASTOR HENSON RESIGNS.

BOSTON, June 8.—Rev. P. S. Henson, for five years pastor of Tremont Temple Baptist church, yesterday announced his resignation to his parish, to take effect November 20th next.

In his letter of resignation Rev. Mr. Henson stated that it was his purpose to give himself a wider ministry and not only to preach from pulpits in various parts of the country but to do considerable literary work.

JAMES E. O'DONNELL  
Attorney-at-Law  
Hildreth Bldg. Lowell, Mass.

## Wall Paper

—AT—  
97 Appleton St.

## ARE YOU HUNGRY

Our 25c dinner will appease your appetite—it would cost you 60c elsewhere. Everybody is talking about our special breakfasts and suppers. Lowell Inn, 21 Central street. Thomas Hoban, proprietor.

## STABBED IN BACK

Man Killed During a Card Game

BOSTON, June 8.—James Mendellow, aged 21 years, single, was killed at his home on Clark street, in the North End, late last night, as a result of a quarrel over a card game. Mendellow was stabbed in the back and died almost instantly.

The police are seeking Anglo Charallotta, proprietor of the house, who it was claimed, was one of the party.

## PRESERVING WOOD

ACTION OF THE AMERICAN RAILROADS IN THE MATTER.

The recent action by the board of directors of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way association in appointing a committee of seventeen to investigate and report upon the subject of wood preservation has shown that the practical railroad men of the country recognize the importance of taking steps to conserve the rapidly diminishing timber supply of the United States.

Timber is one of the principal materials purchased by the railroads, and its economical use is a subject of far reaching importance. More than 100,000,000 cross ties are used annually by the different railroad companies, and their average life in this country is not more than six or seven years. From a study of European methods, and the knowledge of wood preservation under conditions in this country, timber testing engineers surmise it is reasonably certain that an average life of from 15 to 20 years may be secured by treating the tie with a good preservative and the use of improved devices for the prevention of mechanical abrasion, thus to a large degree diminishing the drain upon the timber supply.

While the quantity of timber used for ties is very great and the problem of a future supply is a serious one, yet this class of timber is not the only one which should receive consideration. A greater length of service from timber now used by railroads for bridges, trestles, piles, fences and transmission poles is greatly to be desired.

A. L. Kuehn, engineer of track and roadway, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railway, is chairman of this special wood preservation committee and C. G. Crawford, specialist in wood preservation, United States forest service, is its vice chairman. The first meeting was held in Chicago in the early part of last month for the purpose of organizing and deciding upon a plan of work. The committee was divided into four sub-committees to take up the following lines of work:

Statistics and economics—O. Chaunte, consulting engineer, Chicago, Illinois, chairman.  
Preservatives and specifications—H. von Schrenk, consulting timber engineer, St. Louis, Missouri, chairman.  
Adaptability of woods and their preparation—W. K. Hatt, civil engineer, forest service, Lafayette, Indiana, chairman.

Treating processes—C. G. Crawford, specialist in wood preservation, forest service, Washington, D. C., chairman. This American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way association now consists of about 900 members representing 200,000 miles of railroad track and including among its membership the leading railroad engineers of the country. The object of the association is the advancement of knowledge pertaining to the scientific and economical construction, operation and maintenance of railroads. The method employed to obtain this information is through standing committees appointed by a board of directors. Each committee is appointed to investigate a special subject and to report at each meeting, presenting the results of its investigation, followed by recommendations which are published in "The Manual Recommended Practice," after they have been adopted by the association.

When Walker was conducting his big bear campaign, which began early in 1907 and continued up to December, if not longer, the plunger traded through eight or 10 brokerage houses. He makes his headquarters in the up-town branch of Pell & Co. at 500 6th avenue, which is at the corner of 42d street, and his desk there is equipped with six telephones, each connected by private wire with a brokerage house. Walker lives in bachelor apartments at 22 West 3d street.

SEIZED WITH CRAMPS.  
DEDHAM, June 8.—While swimming in the Sudbury river yesterday, Martin J. Cain, 23 years old, single, was seized with cramps and drowned.

## CANOE UPSET

MARTIN KANE LOST HIS LIFE.

WAYLAND, June 8.—Martin Kane, age 22, was drowned here yesterday in the Sudbury river.

Kane and another young man named James Marron were canoeing, and the craft upset. Kane was evidently a poor swimmer or was attacked with cramps, as he soon sank. The body was recovered about an hour later.

Young Kane was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kane of Franklin avenue, Waltham, and was employed in the water department. The body was turned over to his parents last evening.

## MANY DEATHS

HAVE RESULTED FROM THE PLAGUE.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Many deaths have resulted from the plague in La Guayra, Venezuela, and the city is in strict quarantine to prevent the spread of the contagion according to Thomas P. Moffatt, American consul at La Guayra, who reached here yesterday on the steamer Secuencia from Santiago.

La Guayra was kept in absolute quarantine by land and the United States government sent the gunboat Paducah there to take Mr. Moffatt away.

## TWO KILLED

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## WALKER IS SUED AGAINST BRYAN

SEVERAL NEW YORK DELEGATES FOR JOHNSON.

CHICAGO, June 8.—"The Johnson sentiment in the New York delegation is growing every day," said R. E. Blandy, a delegate from Washington county, who was at Johnson's headquarters yesterday.

"There is a big sentiment for Johnson throughout the state, and also considerable for Gray. I should say there is not much chance for Bryan with our delegation."

"The politicians of New York take the position that Bryan is a 'dead one' in the first place; that he has had two chances, and now he does not want to give us a chance to win."

George S. Thacker, alternate-at-large, of Albany writes:

"Beyond question Johnson is the man of the hour, and as a candidate of our party democracy may rationally cherish high hopes under his leadership for a successful issue from the campaign. The public utterances and acts of Gov. Johnson point to him as one who will neither attempt usurpation of constitutional powers nor permit the constitution to be made a blank paper by construction. The New York delegation at Denver undoubtedly will cast its vote as a unit for Gov. Johnson. If the south and the far west can be properly and successfully reached we can nominate as our candidate a man who can win."

William E. Kirk of Syracuse writes: "I am a delegate and the New York delegation is uninstructed. The state convention instructed us to vote as a unit. When we meet in caucus in Denver I shall vote for the nomination of John A. Johnson of Minnesota. If the majority of our delegation vote as I do Johnson will have 78 votes from New York."

DROWNED WHILE SWIMMING.  
WORCESTER, June 8.—Wilfred Duquette, 15 years old, son of Joseph Duquette of 3 Grand street, was drowned while swimming in Coes reservoir last yesterday. The body was recovered.

SEIZED WITH CRAMPS.  
DEDHAM, June 8.—While swimming in the Sudbury river yesterday, Martin J. Cain, 23 years old, single, was seized with cramps and drowned.

CANOE UPSET.  
MARTIN KANE LOST HIS LIFE.

WAYLAND, June 8.—Martin Kane, age 22, was drowned here yesterday in the Sudbury river.

Kane and another young man named James Marron were canoeing, and the craft upset. Kane was evidently a poor swimmer or was attacked with cramps, as he soon sank. The body was recovered about an hour later.

Young Kane was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kane of Franklin avenue, Waltham, and was employed in the water department. The body was turned over to his parents last evening.

MANY DEATHS HAVE RESULTED FROM THE PLAGUE.

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# THEY WILL NOT BOLT FOR FEDERATION

## Opponents of Secretary Taft Recall Their Statement

CHICAGO, June 8.—Last night representatives of the "allies" recalled their statement that they will bolt the republican national committee so far as the presentation of evidence to support the claims of anti-Taft delegations from southern states is concerned.

There is evidence that the announcement made Saturday night on the authority of Rep. James Francis Burke of Pennsylvania, manager for Sen. Knox, after he had concluded with Sen. Hemenway of Indiana; J. B. Keating of Indiana, and others identified with the campaign of the "allies," created dissension. Some of the other spokesmen for the "allies" declared the announcement ill-advised and they busied themselves yesterday in counteracting its effect. After numerous conferences the following, headed "statement from the allies," was issued:

"Upon the authority of the representatives of all of the presidential candidates other than Secretary of War Taft, it was announced yesterday that they would continue to present their side of the contested delegate cases to the national committee. The decision of the national committee will not take as final, the candidates known as the 'allies,' but an appeal will be taken in cases where it is believed injustice has been done, first to the committee on credentials and later to the convention itself.

"The determination of the representatives of the 'allies' to continue the presentation of their side of the contest to the national committee, is not to be taken as an indication that they approved of the manner in which these contests have been decided. But in order to be in a position to present all of the cases in proper form to the committee on credentials, it is deemed advisable to comply with the form of procedure laid down by the national committee.

"It is the firm determination of the representatives of the 'allies' first to give the national committee an opportunity to consider all the contests on their merits. It is generally believed that the announcement made Saturday night was designed to test public sentiment and to influence the Taft forces to compromise. That the effect was not what the 'allies' expected, was admitted yesterday by a number of men who had knowledge of the entire proceeding.

Sen. Crane of Massachusetts, who has been recognized as one of the chief advisers of the anti-Taft movement, said yesterday that the announcement should not have been made.

It became known yesterday that the adjournment of the national committee Saturday was largely in the nature of a diplomatic proceeding. It was suggested in Sen. Lodge, an ardent supporter of Taft, that inasmuch as the nomination of Taft on the first ballot seemed highly probable, the remainder of the contests should be settled on a harmony basis.

The suggestion of Frank H. Hitchcock, manager of Taft, and holder of the proxy of the New Mexico member of the committee, an adjournment was taken until today.

The Taft managers at once began telegraphic communication with Washington. Neither Mr. Hitchcock, nor Charles P. Taft, brother of the secretary, was inclined to yield to the overtures made. Both were embarrassed, however, by the appeals made by certain members of what is known as the "Old Guard" in the republican ranks. Before noon yesterday, Mr. Hitchcock received from Washington an official endorsement of the "stand pat" position he took and the statement was made that if the "allies" decided to continue their contests before the national committee, the temporary roll of the convention would be filled by the Taft delegations from the contested districts.

"It is nothing but a bluff and I am not going to be scared by it," said Mr. Hitchcock when told of the move by the allies.

It was also noted about that President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft had determined to hold the southern delegations which had been gained and that

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Jas. H. Walker, Pres.  
H. E. Cline, Sec.

**Russell Fox**  
159 MIDDLESEX STREET  
IT'S NOT WISDOM TO WAIT  
All the fire-fighters call on you and lick up your possessions. It's better wisdom to prepare for his coming by a policy of  
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no concessions could be expected from the Taft management.

Conferences were again called by the "allies" but, as before, only representatives of Vice President Fairbanks and Sen. Knox with Sen. Crane, who in a general way acted as president of the anti-Taft forces, were present. Sen. Crane condemned the plan of violating the regulations of the convention procedure and insisted that regardless of the result, the contests be continued before the national committee.

Sen. Crane said yesterday that after the contests brought by the anti-Taft delegations had been decided by the national convention and later to the convention itself, he did not doubt that the national committee would be sustained.

If the Taft managers hold by their declarations, and it is evident that the anti-Taft forces, the managers of the local headquarters, reflect the situation in Washington, concessions of the anti-Taft campaign be gained only by a complete surrender.

All of the contests still to be settled are brought by negro voters instructed for Sen. Foraker, excepting four districts in Kentucky, which are claimed for Vice President Fairbanks and two in Missouri, which are claimed for Vice President Fairbanks and two in Missouri, which are claimed for Gov. Hughes.

### STOCK MARKET

STRONG EARLY IN WEEK AND LATER UNSETTLED.

NEW YORK, June 8.—The early strength and the later unsettlement in the securities market last week were attributed to the culmination of some of the influences relied on to advance prices and the development of some more doubtful factors in the situation. The conclusion of the session of congress with the enactment of an emergency currency law was made the occasion for quite a demonstration in the stock market. The adjournment of congress is regarded, from the point of view of one element, as a promise of success from threatened activities which are viewed with more or less nervous apprehension by security holders. The reports, later in the week, of further prosecution in contemplation against the Standard Oil company and a possible fine running to a maximum even greater than the one in the former suits, caused a revulsion, who had assumed a period of exemption for corporations. This feeling was responsible in part for the sharp reaction in prices. There was perceptible, also, some revision of opinion of the effects to be looked for from the operation of new currency law.

Some of the earlier bullish enthusiasm in the stock market was associated with the concerted demonstration in some parts of the commercial and industrial world of professed confidence in the early resumption of production activities.

The placing of some large orders in the St. Louis district and the enlargement of production amongst the New England textile mills were effective aids to this demonstration.

It was counteracted sharply by the announcement of a cut in the price of steel bars which was given formal sanction by the United States Steel corporation. Official protestations of the intended strict limitation of this reduction did not allay an anxiety over the possible extension of the movement generally to all lines of products. A connection is assumed between the policy of attempted maintenance of advance of freight rates by the railroads and the hoped for avoidance of cuts in wages in those fields. The developments in the steel trade aroused some fears that wage controversies would be the outcome in both fields.

Conditions in the money market move steadily towards greater ease, both here and abroad. The reaction in the official discount rate of the federal bank of Germany marked the final response to the relaxing tendency where it was most belated. Money on call in New York loaned as low as one per cent., and rates for time loans also were shaded. Foreign exchange rates, nevertheless, yielded in New York, and the end of the gold export movement was believed to be reached. There was growing confidence, also in the crop promise, in spite of mixed advices of weather conditions through the week.

### MAN WAYLAI

BEATEN AND ROBBED NEAR HENRIETTA, N. Y.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 8.—Edward Deaton, a railroad conductor of Boston, is at the Homeopathic hospital in this city in a serious condition as a result of being severely beaten over the head with a club near Henrietta yesterday afternoon. After being robbed of his money and other valuables, he was placed on the Lehigh Valley railroad tracks, where he was found by a crew of an extra train, which was stopped in time to save the man's life.

He was put aboard the engine and brought to this city, and at the hospital it was found that he was suffering with a bad cut in the forehead, beside other injuries. The man tells a story of being set upon by footpads and severely beaten, and while unconscious placed on the tracks by his assailants. He is unable to give but a meagre description of the men who attacked him.

Sheriff Craig has detailed a number of deputies on the case.

### HE WAS STABBED

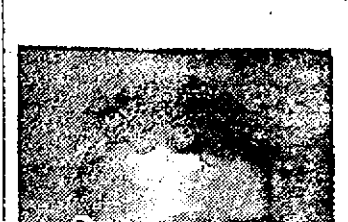
MAN CALLED AT HOSPITAL FOR TREATMENT.

With a knife wound in his left side between the eighth and ninth ribs, James Cryan, aged about 35 years, walked into St. John's hospital Saturday forenoon and presented himself for examination. In addition to the knife wound his head was badly bruised and he said he had been attacked in Market street on Friday night and that they stabbed and trampled him. Cryan's wound, which was not a very dangerous one, was dressed and he went to his home in Middlesex street.

The movement for a federation of the Catholic societies of Lowell received a big boom at a meeting for that purpose held yesterday in Hibernian hall, at which nearly all the Catholic societies in Lowell were represented. There were 65 delegates present and all were enthusiastic over the project.

The meeting for confederation grew out of steps taken toward the same end in March by the societies. Though no name was adopted for the organization yesterday, a committee was appointed to draw up a set of by-laws and a constitution and this committee will report at a meeting to be held in the near future.

James O'Sullivan acted as temporary chairman, and the organizations represented were the five divisions of the A. O. H., the Marlow Temperance Institute, the C. Y. M. L., the Wolf Tone Guards and the Holy Name societies of St. Patrick's, the Immaculate Conception, the Sacred Heart, and St. Peter's churches. The Sheridan



JOSEPH FAHAY, President.

Guards, the Y. M. C. L. and the Holy Name of St. Michael's were not represented, but will come into the organization later in the season.

Joseph Fahay, the popular president of Division I of the A. O. H., was elected president of the new federation. Hubert McQuade was elected vice president; Denis A. O'Brien of the M. T. L. secretary, and John E. Lowney of the Burke's treasurer. The plans for the federation were thoroughly discussed, but no definite action outside of the appointment of a committee by the officers was taken at the meeting. The convention adjourned about 4:30 o'clock.

Before adjournment Sec. O'Brien read the resolutions of thanks voted to Congressman O'Connell and recently referred to in the Sun. The resolutions were adopted amid great applause and it was voted that the committee on resolutions, James O'Sullivan, James F. McKella and John V. Donoghue, personally present the resolutions to the congressman.

### SECRETLY WED

MILLIONAIRE SPREEKLES MARRIED TO FAMOUS BEAUTY.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Adolph Spreckles, tacheol, millionaire, yachtman and breeder of fine horses, has been married to Miss Alma de Brettonville, famed for her beauty, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. de Brettonville, old residents of San Francisco.

The ceremony was secretly performed in Philadelphia last month at the home of Miss de Brettonville's aunt. The news has just been made public by friends who met the couple in New York prior to their sailing for Europe on a honeymoon that may take them to the farthest ends of the earth.

Alma de Brettonville started San Francisco late in 1901 by instituting a breach of promise suit against Charles Anderson, a miner who came out of the Klondike laden with Alaskan gold. Anderson pictured himself as the one who allowed Miss de Brettonville to do the courting, but the jury gave her the verdict of \$125,000.

### RED HOT FACTS

ABOUT A RED HOT KITCHEN AND THE POOR WOMAN MARTYR.

We are going to have some hot days this week and next week, and next month. Alas! the fate of the poor woman martyr who through the summer must cook herself to death while cooking for others in her red hot kitchen over her red hot stove, saying to herself the red hottest kind of things, knowing full well that her neighbor in her quite comfortable, thank you, kitchen is enjoying herself with her companionable range while she is working the limit hot as the day outside. Now, my dear woman, if you are that same suffering, live broiled human being do please go down town any day and take a look in at the Lowell Gas Light company's appliance store on John street. It is a cool place and will be comfortable and you will be welcome. If you come Tuesday or Thursday at 2 p. m. you may hear Miss Webster say and do things in connection with the following poem—

Blanketed Steak (Repeated by request.)

Swedish Roast. Pointed Ring Salmon Croquettes. Golden Red Sauce. Lady Baltimore Cake. Fruit Frothing. Cherry Punch.

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# 40th ANNIVERSARY

## Of the Branch, Street Sunday School Observed

A special service commemorative of the 40th anniversary of the Sunday school was held at the Branch street church yesterday. The sermon was preached by Rev. E. A. Whittier of Lawrence, who was the first pastor, and closely connected with the organization of the Sunday school. He said in part:

The spiritual father of the Branch Street mission was pre-eminently the Rev. W. E. Stanton, at that time the successful evangelistic pastor of the First Baptist church in this city; but now on account of severe throat trouble obliged to live in Florida. During the winter of 1867 and '68 as Brother Stanton thought of the four or five thousand people living above the Middlesex depot with no church or Sunday school in their midst, his heart was deeply moved. After much prayer, he presented the matter to the leading men of the First and Worthen Street Baptist churches, which led to the organization of the Branch Street mission with its board of managers and trustees, selected from each of the churches.

A lot of land on Branch street just above the Franklin school was leased for a few years, and the erection of the Branch Street chapel began at once. In March 1868, I was led providentially to visit Lowell over Sunday, not knowing anything at all about the Branch Street enterprise, until I reached the city. But I found that many who had known me through my supply of the First Baptist church during Pastor Stanton's August vacation, were very anxious to secure my services as missionary at the Branch Street chapel. In a few days there came to me the unanimous call of the board of managers, and of the two churches. "The hand of the Lord was upon me," and I accepted the call.

In May, 1868, the chapel was dedicated, the Rev. Dr. E. Eddy, then of Boston delivering the address. Pastors Morse and Stanton and others taking part. On Sunday, June 7, 1868, the Branch Street Sunday school was organized with 68 scholars, and 16 teachers—34 in all. Quite a number of Branch Catholic children came in at first, but in a few Sundays they disappeared. Deacon Franklin Cheney was our first superintendent and Oscar R. Barclay our first clerk. They were the men for that hour, both wide-awake, earnest men.

Many members of the First and Worthen Street Baptist churches and some of other denominations in our midst volunteered as teachers or helpers in other ways, and soon the school was well manned. The list would be long if we were to name them all. Many of these are in heaven today, while their children have risen up to take their places. Think you they join with us, though unseen, in the gladness of this hour? It may be. Surely we cannot help thinking of them today, as we almost see "the vanished hand."

And what Sunday school concerts we had in those early days! With all the varied experiences of more than 38 years' evangelistic labors those concerts have left a lasting impress in my mind and heart.

Many bright, sunny children enlivened us with their songs and addresses. Some of these children went early to heaven, while others are active members of this, or of other churches on earth.

And how the school grew! I read in my Journal, that 158 were present one Sunday in August about two months after the school was organized, and 153 soon after. And that, too, in August! But we must remember that the great summer exodus to the

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Market and Worthen streets.

country and seashore had only begun then, and also that there were no trolley lines to take the people to the parks and pleasure resorts. In December, six months after the school was organized, 153 were present one Sunday, and in March, 1869, there were 155 present at one session. In about a year from its organization the school applied for admission to the Merrimack River Baptist Sunday school convention, and was admitted.

Massachusetts and pastors have been reared up in this church and Sunday school, like the lamented daughter of Rev. O. E. Madory, who served you as pastor for twenty years. His daughter recently laid down her life for the heathen. Others have gone forth to heathen lands, and others to missions in our home land, like Rev. H. B.

And what shall be said of the noble band of teachers who Sunday after Sunday through rain and shine, heat and cold, during all these 40 years have met their classes and taught them the word of God "without money and without price." God bless them all. But for them, no such stones could be placed at our Gild today as are being put there.

As a church and Sunday school new developments await you, as you enter upon your second 40 years. But he who so evidently led to the organization of this school, and who has led you all the way through light and shade, through joy and sorrow will lead you to larger usefulness. I believe the word which Jehovah spoke to his people at the Red Sea is his word to you today: "Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward."

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Dr. Auspitz was married and conducted a sanitarium on East 94th street. According to the police, Miss Konet called up Dr. Auspitz's office by telephone at noon yesterday giving another name to the doctor's brother, who answered the call, requested that the physician visit her at her home on West 15th street. Miss Konet was formerly employed by Dr. Auspitz as a nurse. All day long the police say, the young woman waited on the steps until last night when Dr. Auspitz drove up in his carriage.

The physician, not recognizing his former nurse, walked past her and entered the vestibule. Miss Konet followed him and closed the glass-front door. Patrick O'Brien, a witness of the shooting, says that the woman leveled a revolver at the physician's head and fired. The bullet passed through his neck and he fell.

The woman calmly opened the glass door and seemed to ignore the crowd which had gathered. Witnesses told the police that the nurse walked down the steps, then retraced her steps and sent a bullet through the doctor's heart.

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# UNDEVELOPED NATIONAL WEALTH A MYTH

## According to Expert Opinion, America's Natural Treasures Are Threatened With Extinction.

THE recent conference held in the east room of the White House to discuss the threatened extinction of America's natural resources and to suggest means to remedy the impending disaster was in a sense the most notable gathering of modern times. Although the meeting was brought about by President Roosevelt's initiative and those in attendance were practically the guests of the White House, it was in no sense a partisan affair. Representatives of all ways of thinking were among those invited, and there was no attempt to confine the discussion to any fixed programme. It was perfectly natural under the circumstances for the president to dominate the situation, and he did. Before they left Washington, however, the governors held a final conference at which Mr. Roosevelt was not present and organized regularly. They authorized Governors Swanson of Virginia and Wilson of Kentucky to name a committee of five or seven governors who are to arrange a time and place for a meeting next year and prepare a programme. The meeting will probably be held in some city of the middle west—perhaps in Chicago or St. Louis—and will be in session for ten days or two weeks.

That many of the natural resources of this country are disappearing rapidly is but too true, unfortunately, and it is as alarming as it is true. It comes like a rude awakening from our assumption that our natural wealth was unlimited to be told that the prodigal waste which has been going on for so many years has so limited our development of nature's gifts we cannot hope for any future result from them. Our orators and statesmen have never ceased to enlarge in glowing terms on our boundless supplies of timber, minerals and other materials waiting to be converted into legal tender. It is far from agreeable to learn that the end of many of our natural resources is even now within sight.

This idea that there is no limit to the nation's resources is so firmly entrenched in the American mind that the danger in which we stand is not appreciated. It is an actual fact that the present generation may see the decline and final extinguishment of some of the nation's chief industries. In the matter of the timber supply our fears have been awakened by the recent agitation for the preservation of certain forests as government reservations. Once so prolific a growth that it gave rise to the popular conviction that it would last for centuries, timber has been reduced to such a scanty supply that before many years it will be as rare as it is in Europe. There is no better living authority on this matter than the present government forester, Gifford Pinchot, who has returned only recently from an official tour of inspection over 5,000 miles and is convinced that at the present rate of consumption our timber supply will be exhausted in twenty years.

Mr. Pinchot does not predict that after twenty years our timber supply

will cease abruptly. He points out that the timber famine which would be certain to arrive in two decades unless something were done to postpone it will be warded off for a period of five years longer by the growth which will occur during that time. Divested of all sentiment and viewed only in a practical and utilitarian light, the wiping out of our great forests is a national tragedy. In contemplating it we are not able to console ourselves with the thought that we had no part in our own undoing; that it was nature and its unyielding processes which have brought about the inevitable result. As a fact, nature has not been consulted in the matter and has had absolutely nothing to do with it. If the processes of nature had not been interfered with we should not be confronted by a timber famine.

As recently as fifty years ago this country was provided liberally with fine forests. Had they been treated properly the supply of timber would have been sufficient for hundreds of years. Instead of cutting only the mature trees and taking some care not to injure the saplings the spotters went on recklessly without a thought of the future or those coming after them. Influenced entirely by selfishness, they

had only one motive—gain. It was a despicable and shortsighted policy destined to produce the most disastrous results. Looking back on the methods employed by those who waged their wars of extermination against the primeval forests, one can but marvel at the savagery which characterized it all. It was a custom in many parts of the country to select and cut down the finest trees and then put the torch to the whole area. In this barbarous fashion millions of young trees which if left to grow would have been fair sized by this time were utterly destroyed.

As the result of such tactless and destructive methods the great American forests have been reduced to a pitiful showing. About fifteen years ago the timber supply in the north and east and even in the states bordered by the great lakes diminished and gradually gave out. The last great remaining extensive forest region left for private spoliation was the southern Appalachian woodland. Here the process of tree annihilation was continued until the government interposed a tardy protest and took definite measures to put a stop to the soulless waste. Much damage has already been

done to this last remaining stronghold of nature in eastern America, as is thus set forth in a recent government report:

"The harm done is very great in proportion to the quantity of lumber cut. This is due largely to the size of the trees and the fact that little care is taken in the fellings. The damage done to young growth is increased by the absence of snow and by the fact that

trees are often cut when they are in full leaf.

"Under such methods, in which there is not only an absolute lack of provision for a future crop, but often a marked absence of that foresight, skill and aversion to waste which go to make clean lumbering, most of the logged over areas in the southern Appalachians are only saved from entire destruction of the standing trees by



## The End of Many of Our Boasted National Resources Is Now Within Plain Sight.

from these denuded mountain sides in a single year's heavy rain than during centuries under forest cover. President Roosevelt estimates that the damage done by this washing down process amounts to at least \$10,000,000 annually.

At the conference Andrew Carnegie made an earnest and rather pathetic plea for the metals. He produced figures to establish the fact that the great coal, iron and copper deposits which were formerly regarded as inexhaustible may be worked out within the lives of many persons now living. Unless new fields of anthracite coal are discovered this most satisfactory of fuels will disappear in less than fifty years. Of hard coal it is estimated that there are considerably less than 3,000,000,000 tons in the earth available. Unless the present lavish methods of mining are abandoned this will last only about half a century.

It is also settled by the geologists that the supply of petroleum in its natural storage places is fixed and that every barrel that is removed decreases the stock in reserve. This fact makes it only a matter of a few years until this wonderful product will cease to be such a factor in the history of man.

Quicksilver deposits, too, are becoming worked out. More of this valuable metal was produced forty years ago than is now extracted from its ores. In 1870 the yield was 30,000 flasks, and at present it is only 28,000 flasks. The comparatively new Almaden mines in California, which were reputed to be inexhaustible, are rapidly becoming less productive, and that is the history of every quicksilver mine in the United States.

Mr. Roosevelt called attention to the fact that the natural resources of the nation must be considered under two sharply distinguished classes—those which may be renewed and those which cannot be reproduced. To this first division belong the forests, which may be restored in a measure for the benefit of coming generations. The soil also may be brought back almost to its original fertility, and the extension of irrigating methods will in time offset part of the damage done to the soil by the destruction of the forests. But minerals cannot and do not renew themselves. In dealing with the iron, coal, gas and petroleum problems all that can be done is to bring about a reform in the wasteful use of these valuable products.

It is the opinion of Mr. Carnegie that the nation must find means to lessen the demands on iron as soon as possible. One of the immediate remedies which suggest themselves is the substitution of water carriage for rail to as large an extent as is possible. Moving 1,000 tons of freight by rail requires nearly as many tons of iron and steel while by water only 250 tons of metal are employed. It is estimated that the substitution of water for rail carriage would reduce the consumption of iron by at least three-fourths.

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## Dr. Cook's Long Silence In the Arctic

WHEN an adventurous explorer sails bravely away into the perilous region dominated by what is known as the north pole there follow a long silence and, as far as the public is concerned, apparent forgetfulness. That is because the practice of searching for the pole has become so common that it now excites but a little of the interest which was formerly attached to it. The time has arrived when pole hunters go and come—some of them without especial comment. It is only when the subject of a relief expedition is bruited that they are remembered and public interest in them is revived.

It has been thus in the case of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, one of the most fearless and intelligent men born with an ambition to plant his feet on spots of Mother Earth never before attained by his fellow man. With the renown of being the pioneer to ascend to the summit of Mount McKinley still fresh in the memories of scientific men, Dr. Cook burned with an ambition to join the ranks of those who were engaged in the almost competitive scramble for the north pole. The intrepid surgeon has been in the north for about a year and not a word has come from him. Not one of the Scandinavian sealers and whalers who have returned has brought any word from him, and fears for his safety are now so prevalent as to warrant the immediate organization of a relief expedition.

In the spring of last year an opportunity came to Dr. Cook to put his ardently cherished desire into execution. John R. Bradley, a wealthy New York Nimrod who has done considerable exploration in the far north on his own private account, fitted up a Gloucester fishing schooner and with his wife and Dr. Cook boarded the stanch little vessel at North Sydney, N. S., and sailed to Labrador and Greenland.

The millionaire skipper returned with his vessel in October of last year, but Dr. Cook was not with him. It was then and not until then that Mr. Bradley made the announcement that affairs had been going on in accordance with a regularly outlined plan and that from the first it had been the intention of Dr. Cook to leave the party at Etah and thence make his way to the pole whenever the opportunity should seem to be most promising. The following is Mr. Bradley's very interesting account of the matter from its beginning:

"While talking over our plans Dr. Cook said to me one day, 'Wouldn't you like to make a try for the pole?' I said I didn't know much about that sort of thing and didn't know whether I would care to stay through the long arctic night, but I said in any event I would outfit the vessel with everything necessary for a polar expedition and that if we found food conditions satisfactory when we got as far as Smith sound the doctor anyway could stay through the winter and make a dash for the pole.

"Therefore the vessel sailed with everything necessary for a polar expedition and dash for the pole. We sailed from Gloucester to Battle Harbor, Labrador; then across Davis Strait to the South Greenland coast. We first encountered ice south of Sissoo and had the propeller disabled by striking the ice, so we put in at Sissoo, beached the ship and soon repaired the damage and proceeded on our way north. I was anxious to try for polar bear in Melville bay. I gave Captain Bartlett orders to get into the ice of the bay as soon as possible, so as to get some shooting.

"When in the ice we saw many bears, but found it almost impossible to get them without the use of native dogs,

with which the Eskimos hunt for bear. for the bear were usually on large pans of ice miles square and would take to the water and get away. We therefore decided to cross Melville bay and make

Cape York, where we were sure of finding natives with dogs. We had a hard time, for we were ripped twice by the ice and had to cut our way out. Finally, after seven days of hard work,

we reached Cape York, but found it impossible to land a boat on account of storms and ice. So we decided to go farther north in search of dogs and

we anchored, and I fired a gun to attract the natives if any were about.

"Soon we saw two natives coming out in their little kayaks, and in half an hour we had thirty-five Eskimos—men, women and children—aboard the ship, the entire inhabitants of the settlement. I spent three days shooting walrus, which I found good sport. The natives were all healthy and had plenty of food.

"We sailed from North Star bay to McCormick bay, Bowdoin bay and Robinson bay and had good shooting all the way; also we came across more natives, all in good condition. Finally we reached Etah, Peary's former winter quarters. Here we enjoyed a view from the high hills of Smith sound.

There was no great amount of ice in the sound, so Dr. Cook, the first mate and myself took the motor boat and went north through Smith sound to 79 degrees north latitude. There are the farthest settlements of the Eskimos, and we spent several days among the natives, many of whom remembered Dr. Cook and greeted him heartily. Dr. Cook speaks the Eskimo language and so was able to converse with his old time friends. We brought the greater part of this settlement back to Etah with us.

"Conditions looked so favorable for a dash for the pole later on that we decided at Etah to land the expedition at 79 degrees north latitude. We found we could get all the dogs we wanted and all the natives that Dr. Cook wished to have with him. As the natives had already cached their winter supplies of food I helped them to kill walrus, seals, white whales and narwhals to augment the supply. The Eskimo women kept busy catching arctic hare and birds to make their winter clothing.

"Dr. Cook concluded to stay and make a dash for the pole as soon as feasible after the long dark night begins to break. We then took most of the natives from Etah and the others that we had brought to Etah and transferred them all to 79 degrees north latitude, where Dr. Cook had decided to make his winter quarters. When we reached this latitude we found the conditions changed from those we had experienced in the motor boat some days before; there was much ice, and we had great difficulty in landing the provisions, which we towed in dray loads and strewed the boxes along the coast. These Dr. Cook will gather together.

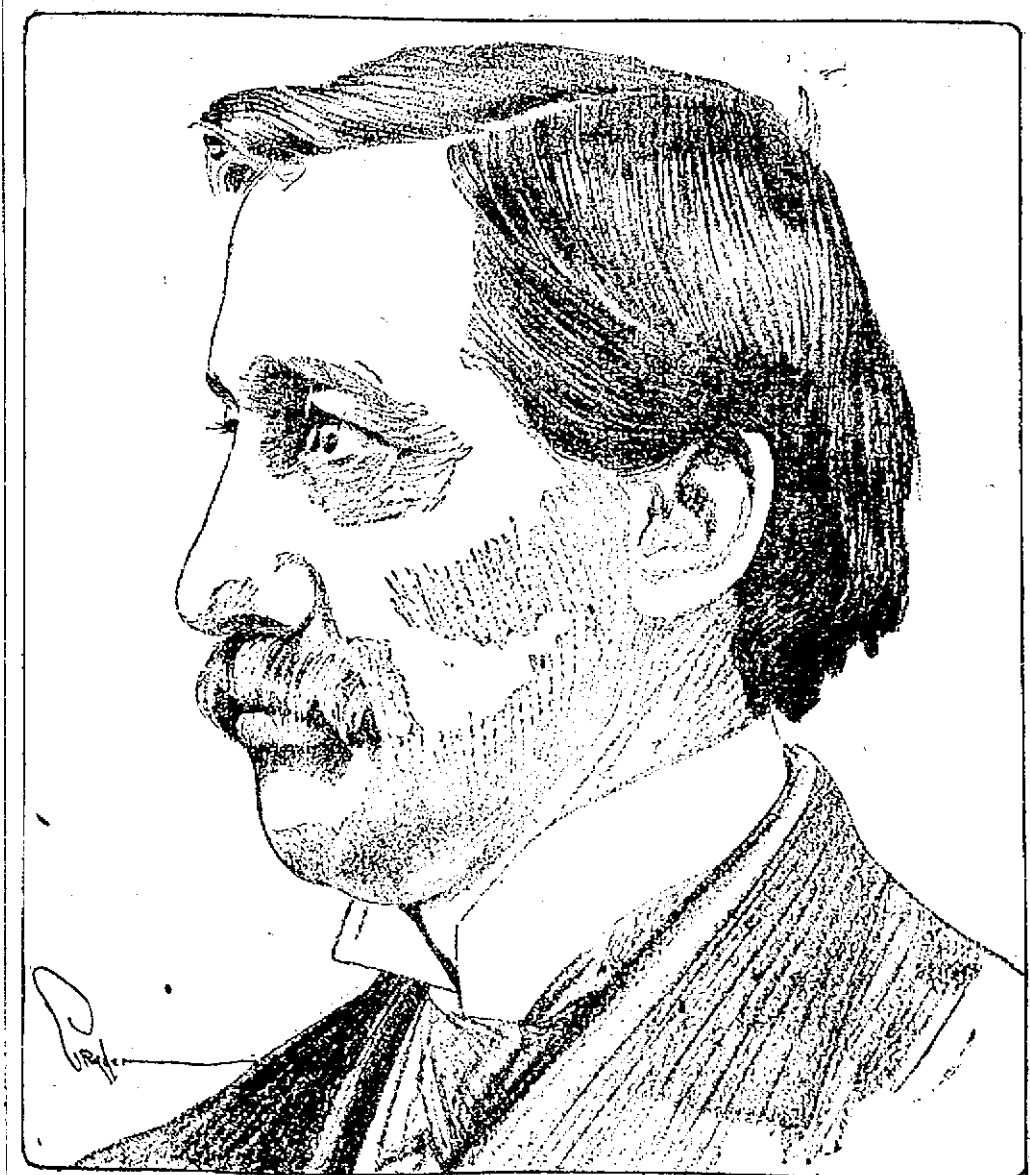
"Dr. Cook has now about fifty Eskimos—men, women and children—and some 150 dogs in his winter quarters. I thought it better that a white man

should remain with Dr. Cook, so a call for volunteers was made, and Rudolph Franco, a young German, was selected. He is a strong man and an enthusiastic would be arctic explorer. Dr. Cook was left with ample provisions for three years and with everything else in the way of tools, sleds and other necessities for the explorer. During the winter Dr. Cook will get everything in readiness, and about Feb. 1 he will cross the ice of Smith sound and take a northwesterly course through Ellesmere land and try to strike the polar sea at 80 degrees north latitude. He will travel as lightly as possible and then make his dash for the pole."

Etah, the point at which Dr. Cook and Mr. Bradley parted company, is about 650 miles from the pole. As soon as Cook's plan for reaching the pole was made public about every one who knows anything definite concerning arctic exploration was of the opinion that his scheme was not promising. Those who are acquainted with Dr. Cook believe that he would not have attempted anything which he had regarded as impracticable. He is a man of a singularly practical turn of mind and has never shown himself to be at all visionary in his projects.

Besides, Dr. Cook is a veteran in arctic exploration. He has spent several summers and at least three winters in the far north and was a member of Peary's most important expedition. His experience in the Belgian antarctic exploration party made him wise as to polar matters, and his subsequent sojourn in the Alaskan mountain regions proved him to be endowed with an endurance unequalled by any living explorer. In view of his splendid achievements the public has more faith in him than in the widely exploited and vociferous gentlemen who would fly to the pole and back again in an incredibly short time. Those who believe that the boat, the sleds and the legs are the arctic traveler's only sure means of locomotion are ready to put their faith in the brave man who has accomplished much and talked modestly.

Those who have been Dr. Cook's companions on any of his previous journeys into the arctic are not disheartened at his protracted silence. They are reminded by it that it is his custom to speak only when he has something to say that is worth while. That he did not take the public into his confidence until his scheme was well under way is proof of his absolute good faith in undertaking the decidedly strenuous business of discovering the north pole. RUSSELL HASTINGS.



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